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# The Oxford County Citizen

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BETHEL, ME.—RUMFORD, ME., THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1909.

\$1.50 IN ADVANCE.

## A HOSPITAL FOR RUMFORD FALLS

### May Result From Friday Evening's Meeting

#### Of Citizens in Court-Room. Committee Appointed.

Several of the physicians of Rumford met with a goodly number of interested citizens at the court room, Friday evening and discussed the desirability of a hospital for the town.

Dr. F. E. Wheel called the meeting to order and introduced Judge Stearns as the chairman of the meeting. The chairman then read the call for the meeting, signed by a large number of citizens. Dr. Wheel was called upon to explain the purpose in view.

He said that efforts had been made several times before, to start such a movement, but nothing had resulted. The doctors were practically agreed that a hospital would be a great benefit. He mentioned many cases that have come to his knowledge, and similar ones will occur in the future, that demand treatment that can not be given at home. He thought a place could be secured and a modest beginning made at once. He was in hopes the business men would take hold of the financial management of the enterprise. No definite plan had been mapped out.

Dr. Hutchins said he had interviewed the superintendents of the mills and found that they could be relied upon to contribute to the support of the enterprise. He also interviewed Supt. Lovejoy who thought the M. C. R. H. Co. would lend a helping hand.

Mr. John Stephens then being called upon, said that he was heartily in favor and thought it a necessity. In absence of definite plans, he could not say more.

Dr. Lesieur, who arrived at that time, was called upon. He stated that he was opposed to a free hospital, and did not think the town's people were so poor that they needed it.

Ralph T. Parker was called upon, no made brief, but favorable comments and hoped steps would be taken to start the movement.

M. A. Brigham being called upon, asked for information as to how it was proposed to start the movement, and asked if any one had formulated plans.

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## A CHAPMAN TRIUMPH.

Director William H. Chapman, the presiding genius of the Maine Music festival, has been winning new laurels by stepping onto the conductor's stand at the Syracuse, (N. Y.) festival and leading the celebrated Dresden Philharmonic orchestra, which is now touring the country. Here Willy Olsen, the conductor, was taken sick and the management secured Mr. Chapman by phone. The music was the "Aida" score which was the feature of the 1907 Maine festival.

The Syracuse papers lavished praise on the Maine man. The Herald said he was the recipient of compliments on all sides. The Post-Standard on the morning following the concert on the 12th, said: "One of the triumphs of the evening was the work of William R. Chapman who conducted the orchestra at almost a moment's notice. He was first asked to take hold of the work Sunday morning and he reached Syracuse the same night. He commenced at once with the orchestra performance proved beyond any doubt his ability and versatility as an orchestral and choral conductor; and at the same time it showed that the members of the orchestra knew their business to respond so quickly to a new leader. Mr. Chapman substituted for Herr Willy Olsen, conductor, who has been ill for several days.

On the following morning, calling the return of the regular conductor, the Post-Standard said: "Of course the men work rather easier under Mr. Olsen's baton than under that of a strange conductor. This is to be expected; and while the men were happy to see Mr. Olsen back, they had nothing but praise for William R. Chapman who proved himself a greater Monday night. Mr. Chapman was

## THE OXFORD COUNTY AUTO ASSOCIATION

### Elected Officers at Rumford, Last Thursday.

#### Plans for the 1909 Season Considered.

Thursday night the Oxford County Automobile Club met in the court room. President John H. Stevens called the meeting to order. F. E. Randall, W. E. Britton and R. L. Melcher were appointed as committee to select a list of candidates for officers for the ensuing year.

The following were nominated and elected: J. H. Massett, president; W. E. Britton, 1st vice president; and F. E. Randall, 2nd vice president; Dr. W. P. Hutchins, secretary and treasurer. The following committees were appointed or elected:

Legislative committee: Waldo Pettengill, L. W. Blanchard, John E. Stephens.

Tour: F. E. Randall, F. O. Walker, W. E. Stevens, F. P. Thomas, R. L. Melcher.

Garage: Frank Littlefield, W. P. Hutchins, John E. Stephens. This committee will make a special report at next meeting.

Memberships: R. L. Melcher, O. J. Gonyea, I. W. Greene.

Special committee, to see all automobiles owned: H. L. Elliott, L. W. Blanchard, O. J. Gonyea.

Good Roads and Signs: Waldo Pettengill, Dr. J. A. Niles, J. H. Kerr, H. L. Elliott, Weston Toothaker, Dr. W. P. Hutchins.

A discussion regarding the necessity of a repair shop for autos was discussed. Mr. Frank Littlefield gave an estimate as to the cost, and outlined a plan for building and operating a plant.

Mr. Randall proposed that the club have a flag emblem that should be carried on all tours and at other times as the pleasure of members. The idea was favorably received and referred to committee on tours.

Mr. Gonyea suggested the plan for a club house at some convenient place a few miles out, where the members could go for an afternoon or evening, individually or in parties. The plan was for a building to cost not more than \$250. The matter was discussed and made a favorable impression. The club was made a committee to talk the matter over, with a view to taking action at a future meeting. In the presence of Mr. Randall, Mr. Britton presided at the meeting after the new officers were chosen.

The following new members were elected: Dr. F. E. Wheel, H. Miller, Dr. W. P. Trask.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF UNIVERSALIST PARISH, BETHEL.

The annual meeting of the First Universalist Parish, of Bethel, was held at the church parlor, Saturday evening last, and was well attended. The regular officers for the ensuing year were elected. The trustees chosen are as follows:—M. L. Thurston, D. S. Hastings, Beth Walker, E. C. Howe, R. C. Park, F. L. Edwards, and Mrs. O. M. Mason. Elmer C. Park was elected clerk and Mrs. O. M. Mason, treasurer of the parish.

It was unanimously voted to extend a call to Rev. J. H. Little now at So. Paris, to become pastor of the Bethel church. Mr. Little recently resigned his pastorate at South Paris after a service of seven years. He is well known in this section and the Bethel church is fortunate to secure him as its pastor. By a previous understanding, Mr. Little had accepted the call if given, so that it is definitely settled that he will assume this pastorate on June 1st. He will not at once remove to Bethel but will do so later, and as soon as a suitable way can be obtained.

It was also voted to extend an invitation to the Oxford Association of Universalists to meet with the Bethel Parish at the regular June meeting which will be held during the latter part of June. As no place has yet been designated upon which to hold this meeting, the invitation will be accepted and the meeting held in Bethel.

**CANTORIA.**  
The Lord has been here tonight  
and the singing was beautiful.

## R. F. D. ANNUAL CONCERT AND BALL.

### Red Hot Time and Good One, Tuesday Night.

#### Cheney Opera House Prettily Decorated.

There was no fire; but the firemen of Rumford had a red hot time Tuesday night, the occasion being the second annual concert and ball of the Rumford Fire Department.

It is seldom the Cheney Opera House is as tastefully and handsomely decorated as it was for this event. It was designed and placed by the boys themselves. The back of the stage was covered by an American flag, and on either side were placed high artificial palm trees, and in front was a row of small palms and miniature peach trees, heavily laden with fruit. Overhead midway the stage was a cross bar frame, white trimmings with "R. F. D." in the center, each letter illuminated with red electric lamps. A line of hose stretched across the hall in front of the stage. On each side of the stage were placed crossed fire axes, with a fireman's hat hanging over the blades, sparsely covering them. On the balcony sides were arranged five red colored alarm boxes, also lighted by red lamps. The hall was draped with red, white and blue streamers, and a big red bell hung from the center.

The concert was provided by the Harmonic Orchestra and Mrs. Winifred Staples Smith. Mrs. Smith sang a solo that was exceptionally pleasing. The music was classically fine. At 9:30 the grand march, led by Chief Engineer E. B. Carroll and wife, began and an unending round of enjoyment was given its start. There were eighteen dance numbers. John Harlow sounded the alarms and directed the changes. The punch, ice cream and cake were supplied by the W. P. McDonald Co.

The committee having the event in charge was made up as follows:—Wallace Butterfield, Alfred Sparks, Arthur St. Louis, Harry Derry, Philip Steinfeld, Alex Quinn, Floor Director, Walter G. Morse, Aida, Claude Rolfe, John Holli, Levi Garrett, Ezra Danton, Philip Lezard, Bert L. Bean.

## DEATH OF MRS. MORRIS MARX.

Saturday afternoon, May 1, Mrs. Clara Marx, wife of Morris Marx died, after an ill winter's illness, the immediate cause of death being heart failure induced by rheumatic pains.

The death of Mrs. Marx surprised and saddened the community in which she has been so long and prominent since coming here to reside, thirteen years ago.

She was born in Germany, about 24 years ago, coming to America 22 years ago. She was married in Marquette, Michigan, 17 years ago, and came to Rumford 13 years ago.

She leaves besides her husband, two children, Caroline, aged 14 and Philip, aged 11 years. Sisters and brothers are as follows:—Charles Israelson, N. P. Leighton, Mrs. L. H. Steinfeld and Mrs. Beng Schwind.

The deceased was a member of the Eastern Star and W. B. C.

The remains were taken Monday, to Berlin, N. H., and services held at 1 p. m. at a hall in Portland, of Scituate.

The funeral services were profuse and beautiful. The fact that only five weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Marx moved into their newly built and beautiful home on Franklin street, where they were planning to enter into the full enjoyment of life with everything to promote happiness surrounding them, makes this death a particularly and one that is the first death among the sisters and brothers of the family.

Mr. Marx has the sincere sympathy of all his business associates and the community in general.

## BOARD OF THANKS.

To the undersigned, with a thank you for the many kind friends of Bethel for their business and sympathy during their illness and sympathy during their illness and sympathy during their illness.

(Signed)  
GENEVA SMALL  
EDITH SMALL  
CHARLES SMALL.

## DISTINGUISHED VISITORS IN BETHEL.

### Grange Entertain State Master C. S. Stetson and National Master N. J. Batchelder.

#### The Occasion the May Meeting of Pomona. A Large Number in Attendance.

Bethel Grange was surely favored beyond other branches of the order, Tuesday. Not only did State Master C. S. Stetson favor the local branch of the order with his presence, but the assembled Patrons also enjoyed the rare treat of a visit from the National Master, Ex-Governor, W. J. Batchelder of New Hampshire.

Tuesday was the day assigned for the regular meeting of Oxford County Pomona. The rain of early morning doubtless kept many at home, yet by teams and morning train the number was swelled until the capacity of Bethel Grange's commodious hall was taxed, the attendance being nearly 300.

The morning session was just long enough for the conferring of the degree of Pomona on 12 candidates, followed by the serving of a splendid dinner in the upper hall. The ladies of Bethel Grange have a right to be proud of their skill in the culinary line, for this was certainly an sumptuous a repast as the out-of-town visitors had enjoyed in a long time.

The afternoon session was opened with vocal music by Brother Pike of Paris Grange. Then came a reading by Sister Annie Brown of Norway, both numbers being heartily applauded and enjoyed.

The first of the speakers was the distinguished Patron from New Hampshire. In his opening words he paid his tribute to the State of Maine, a state great in area, in agricultural resources, and in the influence of its public men, and especially in the great work of the Grange. The membership in the Pine Tree State is credited only by that in New York.

Mr. Batchelder said he felt it a heavy responsibility to represent more than a million Patrons scattered all over our great country in 23 states, including 27,000 Subordinate Granges, 700 Pomona, holding over 100,000 meetings a year. Since October 1, 1903, 320 new Subordinate Granges have been organized, which is more than in any full year during the past 33, with one exception.

The Grange is a power for mental, moral and social advancement, which is surpassed only by the church and the school. Contending the speaker called attention to the many great things that have been accomplished by the order in the past, and spoke of two of the principal ends for which the patrons are fighting today, namely good roads and parcels post. Mr. Batchelder gave many interesting points and brought out strongly the great importance and influence of the order of Patrons of Husbandry. His address was most helpful and interesting from start to finish.

State Master Stetson was then called on and responded heartily with a talk which went straight to the hearts of his hearers. It is apparent that he is entirely bound up in his work and is putting his entire time into it, with energy and enthusiasm which are bound to do much during his term of office for the Grange in Maine, to whose interests he labors. He called attention to the remarkable career of his companion, Mr. Batchelder, whose success is attributed largely to the influence of the Grange. Following along the line of the above, Mr. Stetson devoted his entire energy to emphasizing the true meaning and possibilities of the order. Every person who signs his name and becomes a member has given an oath of duty and loyalty. The cooperative, social and educational features of the Grange have been the ones emphasized in the past. He would put the educational value first. The young should be put forward in the Grange and given their full share of duty and responsibility, for they must do the work of the future. The past years have brought a full measure of success in the Grange in Maine as to membership now we must study and work to develop quality. Always the

## SUCCESSFUL CONCERT

### Under the Auspices of Sunset Rebekah Lodge.

#### At Odeon Hall, Tuesday Evening.

A most successful concert was that given in Odeon hall last Tuesday evening under the auspices of Sunset Rebekah Lodge; indeed the program foretold an enjoyable evening, for every number except those by the reader, was by home talent, and home talent is what most pleases Bethel people, not because we think we have the best, but because we really have in our midst those to whom it is a pleasure to listen and whose talent is much beyond the average. Those who listened to the program for the evening can verify this statement.

Harriet Fuller Marble, the reader, was pleasing in all her numbers. Her selection from Holman Day's King Spruce, and her light encores, showed her ability in both the grave and the gay and impressed the audience so favorably that she will be welcomed at any time by Bethel people.

Mrs. Ava Young Bradbury of Norway, formerly lived in the village so really is home talent after all. She was heartily welcomed and all were glad to hear her once more. "I cannot sing the old songs" as she sang it touched the heart of many. The other soloists, Dr. and Mrs. Wight, Miss Gibson and Mrs. Banghart were at their best and were heartily enjoyed. The ladies quartet rendered two numbers, adding very much to the program and the audience would have listened to other selections gladly.

The instrumental music by Miss Hall and Miss Merrill was of the usual high quality as these pianists are exceptionally skilful.

## PROGRAM.

Piano Duet—Selection from Schubert's Symphony in C.  
Musica Elsie Hall and Bessie Merrill.  
Quartet—The Lost Chord.  
Miss Gibson, Mrs. Banghart, Miss Andrews, Mrs. Edwards.

Reading, Harriet Fuller Marble.

Solo, Mrs. Angie P. Wight.

Piano Solo—Slow Movement of Beethoven's Sonata, Op. 10, No. 1.

Miss Elsie M. Hall.

Reading, Harriet Fuller Marble.

Solo—The "Charming Ring," Dr. L. H. Wight.

Also—Forgotten, (by request) Miss Jane Howard Gibson.

Reading, Harriet Fuller Marble.

Solo—Mosses Lamb.

Solo, Mrs. Banghart.

Reading, Harriet Fuller Marble.

Quartet—Kentucky Ball.

Miss Gibson, Mrs. Banghart, Miss Andrews, Mrs. Edwards.

## TOWN MEETING.

At the special town meeting held at Bethel last Saturday it was voted to accept the portion of the street laid out by the selectmen, from Elm St. to Main street, which lies between Summer street and High street and \$350 was appropriated to pay land damages and build the same.

Under article three, W. A. Emery was elected road commissioner in place of F. J. Russell who was elected at the March meeting, but who declined to serve.

The work of the Grange next week will be for better farm conditions, happier citizens, planter farmers, less of drudgery and more of recreation, and in the study of these things we shall surely find that the simpler our lives the happier and the easier.

At the close of this thrilling talk, a hearty vote of thanks was accorded the visitors. After this, routine business having been disposed of the meeting was adjourned, after a service which moved every Patron's heart to fill with pride and patriotism.

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## WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—4 lines 1 week, 25c. 3 w., 50c.

FOR SALE—Second hand Harnesses of all kinds. Dr. FERNALD, Bethel, Maine. 3-14 t f

Dr. Daniels—Horse Collar—Cure—cures or money back—at any dealers; Insure your horse against Collar. 3-14 t f

DRESS MAKING—I am prepared to do dress making for the public and guarantee prompt attention and satisfactory results. Mrs. N. L. MASON, West Bethel. 3-14 t f

WANTED—Trustworthy man or woman in each county to advertise, receive orders and manage business for New York Mail Order House. \$18.00 weekly; position permanent; no investment required. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Spare time valuable. Enclose self addressed envelope for full particulars. Address CLARKE CO., Wholesale Dept., 103 Park Ave., New York. 3-25 12 t f

RING UP THE CITIZEN OFFICE, Bethel or Rumford, and whoever happens to be on the other end of the line will whisper in your ear and tell you where you can buy an automobile worth \$500 for \$250. And the Citizen man won't charge you the other \$250 for the whisper, either. 3-25 6 t p

WANTED—Four first class carpenters, for both inside finishing and outside work. GILBERT TUBEL, Bethel, Maine. 3-25 6 t p

PINK AND GREEN TOURMA Lines—Very fine and for sale very cheap. Inquire of HARRY DUDLEY, Backfield, Me. 4-8 t f

MEN WANTED to work in Garage, and learn driving and repairing. Three weeks will fit you for \$25 per week position. Great demand for men. Write now for best positions. PORTLAND AUTOMOBILE CO., Portland, Me. 4-15 6 t p

FOR SALE—One Top Buggy Wagon cheap and most new. Inquire of C. F. BRYANT, Bethel, Me. 4-22 t f

FOR SALE—Cameron Runabout, 4 cylinder, 16 horse-power, equipped with magneto. Used about six months. Address Box 245, Rumford Me, or call at Hutchins' law office. 4-22 t f

AGENTS WANTED. Chance of a lifetime to represent house handling quick-selling article, every housewife will buy at sight. No experience necessary. A splendid opportunity to make big profits. Write quickly and get your territory before someone else gets it. AMERICAN SALES CO., 621 Salisbury Bldg., Boston. 4-22 4 t f

FOR SALE—A second hand open bicycle buggy in good repair. Inquire at Harrell's Carriage Shop, Bethel, Me. 4-22

WANTED—Middle aged woman for general housework. Steady work for right person. Address JOHN HAPGOOD, Bethel, Me., R. F. D. No. 2. 4-22 3 t p

WANTED—Chair Makers, bench work, also a good man to take charge of framing job. Allen Chair Co., Concord Junction, Mass. 4-22 3 t p

FOR SALE—Four weeks old piglet \$3.00 each. Inquire of HASTINGS BROS., Bethel, Me. 4-22 3 t f

FOR SALE—A complete course in Electrical Engineering in the International Correspondence School. Your Vote Will sell for less than half price. Apply to Matthew McLeod, Mexico, or at the Citizen Office, Rumford. 4-22 1 t f

SITUATION WANTED—I am a house and fire work repairer. Do not speak much English, but can do the work. W. Norrish, Room 6 McNeen's Block, Rumford, Me. 4-22 3 t p

FOR SALE—Steamer Steamer in first class condition. Price \$200, or will exchange for a tract. Address Harrell's, Bethel, Me. 4-22 1 t p



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**\$10.00 PANAMA SUITS**, made in nearly  
all colors, well fitted, neat lined throughout,  
collar, cuffs, pockets and back trimmed with  
silk tabs and bugles covered buttons.  
Pretty face shirt with pearl front trimmed  
with buttons and silk tabs, only. \$10.00

**\$12.50 PANAMA SUITS**, navy, green,  
and brown, 33 inch new hipless effect coat  
with silver gray satin lining, trimmed with  
silk tabs and bugles covered buttons and loops.  
New face shirt with attached band around  
bottom, and buttons to match coat, good  
value. \$12.50

**\$15.00 STRIPED WORSTED SUITS**,  
made in black, smoke and cadet, all active  
hipless model, extra lined, slashed at sides  
and back, pockets and cuffs trimmed with  
buttons and loops. New good, full face  
shirt trimmed with buttons and loops, ex-  
ceptionally good value. \$15.00

**\$16.50 SERGE SUITS**, of the latest cut  
coat with a buttoned extra lining, envelope  
pockets, new full sleeves, with hard metal  
buttons. Full face good shirt with bot-  
tom on panel gus. \$16.50

**\$20.00 STRIPED SATIN FACED  
FRUITELLA**, fine quality, 35 inch hipless  
model lined with excellent quality satin  
silk tabs, with new self covered buttons  
full face shirt with attached band to front  
and sides with buttons. \$20.00

**LADIES' SHORT COATS**, fancy mix-  
tures, hipless effect cut, large patch pockets  
and back trimmed with buttons, only. \$4.50

**COATS**, short, made of Broadcloth and  
and Panama, black only, semi-fitted, the  
Broadcloth coat has satin lapels; Panama  
coat has collar and cuffs trimmed with bug-  
les, both lined with fine quality satin  
\$9.00

**SILK COAT**, 36 inches long, trimmed  
around neck, cuffs and shoulders with  
fancy silk braid, plaited back, only. \$10.00

**SILK COATS**, fine quality taffeta, length  
36 inches, semi-fitted, revers, cuffs, collar,  
and shoulders trimmed with silk buttons, ex-  
ceptionally good value. \$12.50

**MOIRE SILK RUBBERIZED COATS**  
the most serviceable coat ever made, either  
for rain or dust, no woman should be with-  
out one, some trimmed with straps, full  
length, colors blue, black, green and gray.  
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**CHILDREN'S COATS**, neatly all col-  
ors, some handsomely trimmed with braid  
and buttons, large assortment to select  
from. \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00

## BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Miss Marion Frost is ill of the grip.  
Mr. Charles Cole spent Sunday in  
Stark, N. H.

Miss E. E. Bornham spent Sunday  
at West Paris.

Mr. A. A. Brooks of Grafton, was in  
town, Thursday.

Mrs. Mason is expected home the lat-  
ter part of this week.

Mr. George Robertson of Norway,  
was in town Thursday.

The Ladies' Circle will be omitted  
this week and next week.

Mr. Ralph Young spent Saturday  
with relatives in Norway.

Miss Tessie Eames of Albany is  
working for Mrs. F. L. Edwards.

Mr. Arthur Watson of Portland, has  
been spending a few days in Bethel.

Misses Grace and Lucy Eagle of  
North Newry were in Bethel, Monday.

The Ladies' Club will meet with  
Mrs. A. M. Clark Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Lucie Pennek of Waterford  
is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred  
Taylor.

Mrs. Maude Lapham of Locke Mills,  
was the guest of Mrs. Frank Parlington,  
Monday.

Mrs. B. F. Bradbury of Norway, was  
the guest of Mrs. F. L. Edwards,  
Tuesday.

Mr. George King came home from  
Capeport, Friday to spend a few days  
with his family.

Mr. A. Van Den Kerkhoven went  
to Portland, Monday to attend the Ma-  
sonic Grand Lodge.

Miss Florence Carter, and Misses  
Dorothy and Katherine Seaton, return-  
ed from New York, last week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Richardson who has  
been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Flora  
Ellingwood, has returned home.

Mr. Harry Mason of Boston has been  
spending a few days with his sister,  
Mrs. T. F. Hastings and Miss Fannie  
Mason.

Mrs. Mary Oile, who has been visit-  
ing her son in West Thornton, N. H.,  
was in town Tuesday enroute for her  
home in Grafton.

Mrs. W. H. Baker of Portland, who  
has been spending the past week with  
her sister, Mrs. J. H. Harrows, return-  
ed home, Monday.

The scholars in Misses Andrews and  
Tendler's room had a merry time  
Monday evening, hanging their teach-  
ers' ears in a Maybasket.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Hildage were in  
Bethel's town Thursday, to attend the  
funeral of Mr. Hildage's brother, Moses  
Hildage, whose death occurred April  
25th.

The fence around the Gelders' man-  
sion has received a new coat of paint,  
the work being done by Mr. E. Starnes  
and Mr. Clinton Barker. It is much  
improved.

Mr. W. H. Young has purchased the  
Harrows stand on Mechanic street and  
will occupy it in June. Mrs. Ellen  
Fletcher has bought Mr. Young's house  
on Spring street.

Mrs. Chas. Merrill, who has been  
visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter  
Lawrence in Woodford, returned to  
Bethel, this week, and is visiting her  
daughter, Mrs. D. C. Fairbank.

Mrs. Dean and Miss Cross returned  
from Portland Monday. Miss Cross  
has been in Dr. King's hospital for  
treatment and her many friends are  
pleased to have her able to return to  
her home.

Mrs. Beata Valente and Miss  
Gillie Partridge have been chosen dele-  
gates to the Sabbath School Con-  
vention to be held in Mexico, May 12.

Miss Helen Dixon and Miss Partridge  
were chosen delegates to attend the  
Christian Conference Local Union to  
meet in the same place, May 14th.

Rev. C. L. Baughart delivered a  
very able sermon to the Old Fellows  
and Believers in the Methodist church  
last Sunday morning, taking his text  
from the parable of the good Samaritan.  
He spoke of the three kinds of  
Samaritans—"friendly, hostile and  
neutral," as they are found in members  
in Christ and in the church. The choir  
was composed of members of the dif-  
ferent churches and rendered music ap-  
propriate to the occasion. Notes were  
sung by Mrs. Baughart and Miss Jane  
Baughart which were much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Mary Patrick in the  
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Mr. Charles Mercer is working in  
Milan, N. H.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Twaddle were in  
Lewiston, Saturday.

Mr. Evan Kilgore of Newry is finish-  
ing Mr. Goodwin's house.

Miss Mildred Keene was the guest of  
friends in Lewiston, Sunday.

Mrs. I. S. Morrill is quite ill and  
has been threatened with pneumonia.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with  
Mrs. Fred Clark, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Robert Snodgrass of Berlin, N.  
H., was in Bethel on business, one day  
last week.

Mr. George Hall of Lewiston, was  
the guest of his brothers, Messrs. C.  
W. and Llew. Hall, last week.

The dinner which was held in Odeon  
Hall, last Friday evening was a very  
pleasant affair and greatly enjoyed by  
all present.

Dr. and Mrs. I. H. Wight and daugh-  
ter Vivian, went to Gorham, N. H.,  
Sunday, to see Dr. Wight's mother,  
who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Frost of Locke  
Mills, are receiving congratulations on  
the birth of a daughter, Bethel friends  
extend congratulations.

Mr. Gilbert W. Tuell, who has been  
employed by the United Zinc and Chem-  
ical Co. for the past two years, has  
been promoted to agent for this Co.,  
at St. Louis.

Mrs. Elmer Small, who has been very  
ill of pneumonia in Lewiston, has re-  
covered sufficiently to be moved to the  
home of her sister, Mrs. Brainard Bur-  
bank, in Shelburne, N. H., Tuesday.

The friends of Miss Lucia Wood  
will be glad to know that she has ac-  
cepted a position to teach oratory in  
the high school of Batavia, N. Y., and  
to teach reading in all the city schools.

Mr. Gotthard W. Carlson, who has  
been spending a few days in Bethel,  
left Monday for Boston, where he has  
accepted a position in the Engineer's  
department of the New England Tele-  
phone and Telegraph Co.

Brown Relief Corps will observe their  
twenty-fifth anniversary, also the twenty-  
fifth anniversary of the Department of  
Maine, in connection with the Peace  
Day exercises, which will be held May  
19, as the ball is engaged for May 19.

At the M. E. Parsonage, May 3, at  
8 o'clock in the evening, occurred the  
marriage of Miss Blanche L. Lutton,  
the daughter of Thaddeus Lutton, to  
Florence Tyler, of West Bethel. We  
wish them a happy and prosperous mar-  
ried life.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. French and  
son Harold, of Augusta, came to Beth-  
el last week to visit Mr. French's par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. S. I. French. Mr.  
French returned home Wednesday.  
Mrs. French and little son will remain  
for a longer visit.

Mrs. Banders of Hanover, who has  
been ill in Bethel for the past few  
weeks died Sunday. The remains were  
taken to her late home in Hanover,  
Monday, and funeral services were held  
there Wednesday afternoon at one  
o'clock. Rev. C. L. Baughart officiat-  
ing.

As the members of the O. A. W.  
W. R. C. and S. of Y. are expected  
to wear a white carnation on "Mothers'  
Day" May 9th, they can purchase  
the same at Miss Hall's on Main street  
Saturday afternoon and evening. Price  
5 cents each.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs.  
L. T. Barker, Tuesday, May 11, at 8  
o'clock. The members are reminded  
that this will be the annual meeting and  
are requested to come prepared to pay  
annual dues. Representatives of de-  
partments please have reports ready  
as they must be sent to the County  
Representative before County Con-  
vention, which will meet with the West  
Parish Union, May 14 and 15.

It may be of interest to the re-  
sidents of Bethel and in Oxford County  
generally, to know that at a lately con-  
vened meeting, Mr. Starnes was selected  
mayor of the city of Shawnee, Okla.  
last week. This is a Democratic city  
and Mayor Starnes and the chief of  
police were the only Republicans there.  
Mr. Starnes has served as post  
master and is much popular among all  
parties. On the night of the election,  
Mayor Starnes was waited upon at City  
Hall by a large delegation accompanied  
by a band and given a hearty ovation.  
Mr. Starnes is the son of S. Parker  
Starnes, of St. Paris, and a brother of  
Mrs. E. C. Park, and Mrs. R. H. Park  
born at Bethel.

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### Ladies' Hosiery.

Cotton hose, black tan and white,  
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### Ladies' Jersey Underwear.

Vests, summer weight, long sleeves,  
short sleeves and sleeveless, 10c to  
Jersey pants, knee length, 25c

### Children's Hose.

Knickerbocker Brand, tan and  
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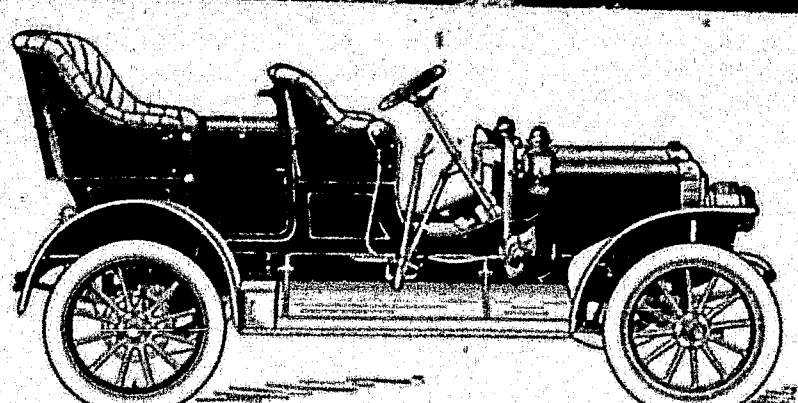
### Misses' Children's and Infant's

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Remember the May ball this Thurs-  
day evening, to be given by Home No.  
1.

As next Sunday will be "Mothers'  
Day," a special invitation is extended  
to the local churches of the village to  
hold a union service to be held in  
the M. E. church at 7 p.m. The members  
of the O. A. W., Sons of Veterans, and  
Relief Corps are requested to be present  
and wear a white carnation. Mrs.  
Carter and Baughart will speak. The  
members of the different church choirs  
are requested to meet at the M. E.  
parsonage on Friday evening at 7:30  
for a rehearsal.

### Household Philosophy.

"They say the eyes are the windows  
of the soul--correct! You may look  
into anyone's eyes 100 times, and 99  
times you'll be deceived! If there's  
a thing as a window of the soul,  
it's a keyhole."--Dorothy.

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### NORTH WATERFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Swanson of West  
Parish, visited their daughter, Mrs.  
Maud McArthur, Monday.

Mr. J. C. Swanson and daughter, Mrs.  
Maud McArthur, went to Norway  
last week Wednesday.

Mr. Herman Richards is at work  
for Mrs. Maude McArthur.

Edmund Jones is driving the M. Ma-

son, with Mrs. Mary Patrick in the  
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Ancestry.  
"My grandmothers on both sides were daughters of the American Revolution."

"I don't know whether my great mothers belong to anything or not, but I've heard my father say that he once belonged to the Sons of Temperance."—Chicago Record Herald.

## WEST BETHEL.

The Local Happenings as Told by Our Special Reporter.

The faint tinkle of wedding bells is heard around the village.

Services were held in the church Sunday with a good sized congregation, which was very gratifying to those interested.

Miss Grace Farwell was in Gorham, N. H., two days last week.

Mrs. M. Vashaw is on the sick list. Dr. Paxton and Mr. Gard Twaddle drove up from Bethel and at church services here Sunday.

Mr. Jos. Bryant of W. Paris came Sunday to accept a position in the printing department of Whitten and Dennison.

Mr. E. E. Howe of Hanover, visited his daughter, Miss Jessie, at the hotel, Monday.

The train from Montreal was late two days the past week, said to be caused by high water.

We notice E. P. Grover and Son are hauling hay from Merrow's farm in this village.

A car of potatoes is being loaded here. Prices paid, 70 and 75 cents.

A large number took the train here for Bethel, Lewiston, Auburn and Portland, Saturday.

Mrs. M. O'Riley is the proud possessor of 120 R. I. chicks and some young goslings, which are very pretty.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Stiles and infant son and Mrs. Geo. Proctor, called on Mrs. O'Riley Sunday, driving through from Bethel to Mason.

Mr. H. P. Dennison has just received his reappointment as Postmaster, on account of the post office being changed to the 3rd class and wishes to thank his friends and the patrons of the office for their assistance.

Mr. Tinkham of Industry, Me., was in the village, calling on friends last week, on his way home from the Methodist conference at Berlin. He is about to locate at North Augusta.

Mr. Otis Mason has finished his work with N. B. Springer and is at present working for H. P. Dennison, repairing and enlarging the Post office.

There will be a swap party at the hotel, under the auspices of the W. B. I. C., Tuesday evening, May 11th. Light refreshments will be served. Bill 10 cents. The idea of the swap party is that every one bring anything, either large or small, wrapped up in a mysterious package to exchange for some other package. If the article gained is not satisfactory it may be "swapped" again. It creates no end of fun, so all come and bring one or more packages.

## EAST BETHEL.

Mrs. J. W. Bean have returned home from visiting relatives in Massachusetts.

Mr. E. B. Howe has taken down the old barn, preparatory to building a new one.

Mr. N. F. Swan, who has been spending the past six months in Washington, D. C., has returned to his home here.

Mr. Wm. G. Holt has recently purchased the homestead farm here of Mr. Tracy Young, East Weymouth, Mass., and will move his family there in May.

Miss Florence Skillings opened the spring term of school here last Tuesday, April 27. Miss Skillings is boarding at J. M. Bartlett's. Mr. George Knights is driving the school team.

Mr. Porter Farwell had the great misfortune to lose a nice driving horse last week.

While at work with his engine, sawing wood for J. H. Swan, last Saturday, Eugene Bean had one finger badly sawed through the bone, and others injured. He was taken to Dr. Wright's and had it dressed.

Mr. F. B. Howe is buying potatoes at 75 cents per bushel. He is loading a car this week at Bethel station, to ship to Boston markets.

Mr. Insley Young will hold an auction sale at his home farm here, Saturday, a. m. May 8th.

Mr. Francis Mills of West Bethel, visited here last Saturday and Sunday.

## GROVER HILL.

The Altman family from Bethel village was in the place on business, recently.

G. N. Sackett and family called on friends, Sunday.

James A. Howard has been selling out nursery stock the past week.

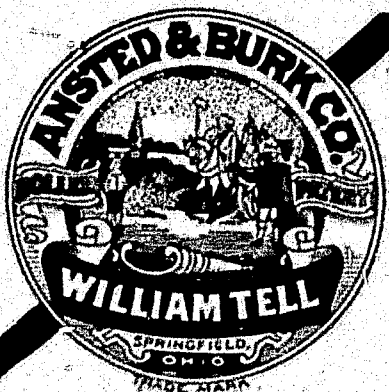
A. J. Peaslee went to Lewiston and Auburn the first of the week.

Mrs. Anna Grover and son called on relatives in Mason, one day last week.

Mrs. A. B. Grover and sister went to Mason one day recently to call on a friend who is ill.

A. B. Grover was at E. O. Grover's in Mason, last week.

Alfred J. Peaslee was at N. A. Stearns' the latter part of the week.



You can be sure of the whitest, lightest and most wholesome bread at ever baking.

Here is a perfect flour made from rich Ohio wheat which has no superior for nutrition.

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## NEWRY.

N. W. Frost and family have moved back to his farm in Hanover.

A. B. Frost was sick last Monday and not able to work in the mill.

Mrs. Bessie Learned called at A. H. Powers' last Sunday.

Quite a number of people from this town attended Panama Grange at Bethel.

## UPTON.

Thomas Warren has traded horses with Chester Bragg.

Fred Sanborn has put up a shack to live in, while building himself a house.

Laforest Bragg is not so well at present.

Ronald Burke, who has recently purchased a farm in East Dixfield, was in town buying stock. He bought a horse of Ed. Chase, wagon of Mrs. West and harness of John Burke.

Lavonne Powell has sold all her stock excepting four head.

More sleighs than wagons are to be seen on roads in town.

Schools in town began May 4th. Agnes Brooks teaches the grammar, Eliza Clark the primary school on Upton Hill and Mamie Stewart teaches the East B. Hill school.

Mrs. Etta McLeod passed away April 20th, age 78 years, 9 months. She leaves a husband and four children, an aged mother, two sisters and a brother to mourn her loss.

She was an earnest Pattern of Household and her loss will be greatly felt throughout the community.

Elsworth Lombard and son, Spencer, of Otisfield, are in town, working on the river.

Lucy Laporte of Bethel was to town recently and bought eight head of cattle of Mrs. Powell.

Leppert Morse has gone to Bethel to attend Panama Grange.

Joe Bussanette has gone to Mettall Island to work this season.

Mrs. Betsy Bartlett and grand daughter, have gone to Norway to stay at Parley Bartlett's while Audrey goes to school the spring term.

Mrs. Emma Lord of Milan is stopping with her sister, Mrs. Elsie Swartz, who has been very sick.

It is reported that Mrs. West has sold the Bragg farm to Lincoln Fuller. She is moving her goods back out to Black street, where she talks of living in the schoolhouse.

Charles Brown went to Bethel after a load of supplies, recently.

## BRYANT'S POND.

Albert H. Bass of this village has purchased the A. P. Bowker farm, also the hay, stock and a part of the farming tools. Mr. Bass will take possession at once. Mrs. Bowker will make it her home with her daughter, Mrs. Stella Dixon.

Archie D. Felt has rented his summer cottage to a Panama party, who arrived last Thursday for a stay of five months.

The bricks have arrived for the foundation to the Whittman library building.

Harry Crockett has his automobile repair shop nearly completed. The machinery will be put in at once and Mr. Crockett's son will have charge of the business.

Moses M. Russell died April 27 at the residence of his son, Percy, in South Woodstock. Mr. Russell was one of our oldest residents, and was known as "Woodstock's smart old man."

He was about 83 years of age. He came to our town many years ago from Newry and settled on a farm in the "Big Dicks" neighborhood, where he resided a number of years, finally moving to North Woodstock village. He was an Old Fellow and during his brief sickness West Paris Lodge visited in caring for him. Besides a son, he leaves one half brother, Jarvis C. Billings of Bethel.

William Day, who was stricken last

week with partial paralysis, is slowly improving and his family and friends are encouraged about his final recovery.

Oscar F. Bowker has bought a place at South Paris and will move there this week.

Bryant's Pond was clear of ice May 3rd.

The Bryant's Pond High School have organized a base ball team, with Homer Crooker as captain. They are ready to play any school club in the County.

## SHE KNOWS ENOUGH.

She does not know who Caesar was, nor when Columbus sailed the seas. She may for all she says or does, think Botticelli is a chisel.

Now, gentle reader, don't commence to say you think it is a pity to live in ignorance so dense—You see, she's pretty.

She will not wrinkle up her brow to call to mind a verse of Keats. Ask her if Shakespeare's writing now. She'll say she likes the parrot seats. Of current topics she may speak. But in the rose-pink of her cheek there is a dimple.

She'll tell you socialism's cute. Because a friend who's rather plain is lecturing from here to there. And has so many in in her train. She cannot tell you what is meant by the philosophy of Ibsen. But her's is beauty that is blent—A Fisher-Gibson.

Of differential calculus she may discourse in language clear. Until it comes to use. She means some automobile gear. The fact that Raphael is dead lends to talk on pictures olden—Her lips are cherry-ripe-red. Her hair is golden.

So, what is history to her? What are reformers and their ilk? She has the latest word on far. And wears the newest shades in silk. She's not that she must live alone. For her unlearnedness quenches your pity.

She knows all that needs to be known—You see, she's pretty!—Wilbur D. Nesbit, in Life.

## AN ANCIENT RACE DYING OUT.

Veddahs of Ceylon Regarded as Representing the Stone Age.

The oldest inhabitants of Ceylon are passing away. These are the famous Veddahs.

Fifty years ago it was estimated that 5,000 of them were still living in the forests, but Dr. Max Mooskowsky, who has recently visited them, says there are only 50 or 60 of them still alive and that a few more years will see the end of their race.

The Veddahs have interested anthropologists because they have been regarded as the best living types of the man of the stone age.

The attitude of the Europeans toward them is remarkable. They hold the poor creatures in great honor and rank them as belonging to the highest caste in the island. The reason is that they are reputed to have descended from the ancient deities or spirits that were the original possessors of the island.

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## An Outburst.

Burglar—Sorry, madam, but I want your money.

Spinstress (furiously)—You are just like all the men; it's only my money you want.—Judge.

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## FEEDING SILAGE.

Some Good Advice from a Man Who Has Had Experience.

Perhaps some of my experience in regard to my silage and the use of silage on the farm will be of interest to others, writes a Michigan farmer in Farmers' Review. For a great many years I have made a specialty of breeding registered Oxford down sheep. A few years ago I was unable to obtain any information in regard to feeding silage to breeding ewes, and so I concluded to try some ewes on silage three years ago and since then during the winter months, I have been feeding corn silage at least once each day to my entire flock. I find that the ewes give more milk when fed on corn silage than any other feed, aside from early grass pasture.

It is not necessary for me to say that it is one of the most valuable feeds for the dairy cow or the fattening steer, for almost every farmer has learned that corn silage is one of the best and cheapest feeds to be had for all cattle. A great many farmers are so slow in seeing the advantages of a good silo. Compare this method of harvesting the corn crop when all is saved, with the old way, where the loss is at least one third of the crop.

When you build a silo, build a good one that is air tight. My silo is a "Landing" silo, 14x20 feet, and holds 100 tons. About eight acres of good corn will fill it. Do not plant the corn too thick. Adjust this as if you wanted a good crop of corn and you will not go astray. During the past two years I have planted my corn with an ordinary 11 foot grain drill, and about 3 1/2 feet apart in the rows, and seven or seven and one half quarts of grain per acre. Next use the spike tooth harrow and harrow the corn often, before it is up and until three or four inches high. Give it a good harrowing to destroy all small weeds that are coming up close to the corn.

In conclusion, a word about the oat crop next spring. Do not neglect to sow about two quarts of faxseed. Mix it in with the seed oats in the drill or sow it broadcast. It will ripen at the same time with the oats, and you will find it a valuable grain to have mixed with oats to feed to horses, cattle or sheep. It will cost nothing except the seed. Try it. The fax straw will not injure the feeding of the oat straw, the horses and cattle will eat it in preference to the oat straw, if they can get it.

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To a common stopcock is fastened a lever with a weight sufficiently heavy to open the valve when the water gets low in the tank from which stock or horses are watered. The accompanying illustration indicates the manner in which it operates. One of these valve regulators will be found of considerable value in any stock tank of any farm. A commercial float valve, says the Prairie Farmer, can be found in any hardware store, but in case one desires to economize this plan may be adopted.

## CHURNING IN COLD WEATHER.

How to Overcome the Drawbacks and Get Good Butter.

Cream does not ripen readily now if kept in a cool place, but it does become old and bitter if not attended to carefully as in summer. Use a cloth or a lid having ventilation provided for, and stir the cream twice a day. Do not hold to collect large clumps.

If it requires over three days, if cream is kept well aerated and cold it may be held a week and fair butter results but it is a risk and I think always produces butter that goes off in flavor very soon, though seemingly good when it comes from the churn. Many are complaining of slow separation of the butter from the milk at this season. This usually results, says the Journal of Agriculture, from improper skimming, or churning at too low temperature, or the skimming has been too deep. Cream holding little milk churns more rapidly.

Judgment and experience alone require years to determine when cream is exactly at the best churning temperature. Better spend 50 cents for a reliable thermometer and save hours of weary turning. Never let the cream become sharply acid nor whey at the bottom of the jar. It ought always to be smooth, velvety and mildly acid and pleasant to taste.

Revolve the churn slowly, so that the fall of the cream is distinctly heard. If it is in proper condition it will grow more heavy and slow to drop. Put a little vigor into the downward motion of the crank, and if the drop is felt you may be sure the "witches" are being driven out.

## DAIRY MATTERS.

Do not compel the cows to bunk about the straw pile until the children are past. Do not open for them to sleep on are usually very scarce at that season of the year.

Don't turn the cattle to pasture too early. A good plan to follow is to wait until you can conclude the grass is sufficiently large to turn them on, then wait a week or ten days longer.

The measure of satisfaction secured from the dairy is dependent upon the profit returned to the farmer for his feed and labor. Profit can be realized only through the medium of a good cow and intelligent feeding and care taking.

## Indian Philosophy.

Quannah Parker, a Comanche chief, recently visited an ice plant in an Oklahoma town. He was much interested in everything pertaining to the plant. After he had been shown throughout the building, he remarked: "White man smart. White man heap smart. White man smarter than God. God make ice in winter; white man make ice in summer."—Judge.

## As He Saw It.

Mrs. Knox—One can tell a good deal about people from their facial expressions! Knox—Been absorbing wisdom from a patent medicine almanac? Mrs. Knox—No. Take Mrs. Jabberton, for example; there's a great deal of character in her mouth. Knox—Yes; other people's.—Chicago Daily News.

## Contributed.

"Did you ever hear this one?" asks a correspondent of the appended jest. We don't quite remember. Did you? Young Man its lady crossing muddy street—Pardon me, miss; but you're holding your skirt pretty high. Young Lady—Sir, I have a perfect right! Y. M.—Sure—and a peach of a left too.—Cleveland Leader.

## A Rejoinder.

Judge Foster—How do, Henry? Well, you don't let down our way very often!

Yetta Henry—No; I stay pretty close to home. Wouldn't 'a' come today but Martha 'a' been reading 'bout President Roosevelt wantin' farmers to improve, so she couldn't rest 'till I'd come an' get my teeth tinkered.—Judge.

## NORWAY AND SOUTH PARIS

## NORWAY.

No ball games here Saturday, because of rainy conditions.

C. H. Sargent, Supt. of the B. F. Spinnery & Co. factory, was in Lewiston, Saturday, on business.

Fred Moore is working on the electric lines this week, learning the conductors' fine art.

Ice went out of Lake Pennessawassee April 27, three days ahead of the date predicted. Canoes, punts and motor boats are in active service, transporting fishermen and the early campers.

Mrs. Bradford N. Merrill is slowly recovering from a severe attack of grip with bronchitis. Mr. Merrill has also been housed with a bad cold.

G. Fred Stone is clearing up his Main street lot and will rebuild at once.

A portion of the building now standing will be used as a nucleus for the cozy home which will soon replace the one destroyed last August.

James Record is now located in the store under G. A. R. hall. This new place will be used in connection with his blacksmith business, where all supplies and necessary sundries can be found. Everything is conveniently placed, making a practical up-to-date store room.

It is stated that Frank Beck, who has bought the vacant lot adjoining the carstables of James Record, will erect a garage and repair shop at once. Mr. Beck now conducts a well appointed garage on Temple street, but this new location will be more central and convenient, as Main street is the great thoroughfare for autos chugging through Norway.

Hiram D. Libby, manager of "Norway Crescents" has the team strengthened and well organized, ready for battle. Base ball teams wishing games, will do well to correspond with this hustler. In explanation, the team is not semi professional, but made up of strictly local talent, and would be pleased to hear from managers controlling a similar grade of local sports.

Nathan Tompkins is out again enjoying this pseudo spring weather, after several days confinement with the prevailing epidemic.

That base ball uniform, ball, glove and bat on exhibition in the window at Frank Kimball's drug store, attracts many youngsters with longing eyes. Harry Burritt is responsible for this exhibit and promises to give the whole outfit to the boy selling the greatest number of packages containing a preparation, labeled "Hair Investigator."

Consequently our school boys are just peddling crazy and working the village to the limit. Ladies unable to build up that modern "psyche knot" have at least a remedy worth trying.

The May ball at the Opera House, April 30, given by the Versanda Club was a success. More than sixty couples entered into the spirit of the dance, while a large number of spectators occupied balcony seats. Stearns' Orchestra furnished music.

The last moving picture entertainment for the season, under the present management was given in the Opera House, Saturday evening, May 1. A pleasing to the audience in the role of clean program of feature films was offered and fully up to the standard of previous performances. Manager Robbins returns from the field during the coming summer, but the theatre going public trust he will decide to return when the fall season opens.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbins have won the friendship and esteem of all by their genial manners and clean entertainments in our Opera House and in the Bijou at South Paris.

B. F. Spinnery & Co. have filled in the marsh opposite their factory, near the reservoir. Grass seed has been sown; a neat fence is to be set and flower beds will prove a conspicuous feature later. After nature has accomplished her work this spot will be one of the finest lawns in town, a contrast to the after swamp of a few years ago.

Rockwell's Sunny South company played here April 24 to a crowded house. They brought twenty colored people and gave one of the best entertainments seen in this town for a long time. The singing, dancing, and novelty acts were right up to the top notch. "Pewee," the comedy juggler certainly gave an exhibition of dexterity miles ahead of the ordinary performer in that line of work. His cleverest feats were cleverly sprinkled with the comedy element which goes far toward the success of a silent act.

Carl Sobrah is making extensive repairs on his farm buildings, situated just over the brow of Pike Hill. These commodious buildings were once the Pike homestead, erected in 1853 and stand as one of the oldest landmarks in town. He well preserved are these buildings and would never guess by any outward appearance, nearly one hundred and seven years had passed since that sturdy pioneer brewed with his own the exceptionally strong framework or forged the homestead nails.

## SOUTH PARIS.

The weather man has had many unkind things said about him the past week and most of us feel that he deserves them.

A large crowd from this village attended the performance at Norway opera house Wednesday evening entitled "The Sunny South," and were very enthusiastic about the merits of the entertainment.

A novel method of raising money was that used by one division of the Seneca Club, when Wednesday of last week they held an auction at the home of Mrs. Louise J. Briggs in Market Square. The Club has been divided into two divisions for the purpose of raising money for the benefit of the public reading room which is maintained through their efforts, and one division decided on this method to raise their part of the money. The village was canvassed and anything of a saleable nature was gladly received, and the number of articles, which by the way, grew to large proportions, were collected by the members of the club in this division and left at Mrs. Briggs' homestead. The auction was rather mysteriously advertised and considerable interest aroused. It was held last Wednesday, and although the weather was not particularly favorable, it was far more of a success than its most ardent supporters had expected it to be.

A sum three times as large as this division was required to raise was netted by the effort. The captain of this division was Mrs. Wirt Stanley and its success was quite largely due to the work and time she put into the affair. The method the other division has adopted to raise their money will be by an entertainment in the form of a mock graduation, which will be held in New Hall May 14th. Essays and class parts are now in preparation and the villagers are assured of much amusement when the event comes off. Mrs. Herman Walen captains this division. The class parts have been assigned as follows:

Valedictory—Margaret Elita Taylor. Salutatory—Lydia Wilson. History—Agnes Louise Morton. Prophecy—Florence Mabel Haskell. Presentation of Gifts—Harriet E. E. Barnes.

Poem—Ivy May Morton. Class Ode—Annie Hilton, Grace Thayer. Class Oration—Thomas Skiffeld Barnes.

Address to the Graduates—Albert Dexter Park.

Eliza M. Noble and wife stopped their household goods to New Gloucester, Thursday and went themselves, Friday. Mr. Noble having had to go to work on a farm at that place for the next year.

Because of other attractions in this place and Norway, the number that went on the theatre special Friday evening was the smallest that has gone on any special this season. Gustafson proved an interesting play, the cast was strong and the acting in many places during the performance was of the highest order. Geo. B. Baker was very pleasing to the audience in the role of Grenfell Leary, a wealthy young American, but to many his work did not seem quite up to the high standard he established when playing the part of Rev. John St. John in "As Ye Sow."

At the Universalist parish meeting held Tuesday evening of last week it was voted not to accept the resignation of Rev. J. H. Little as pastor of the church. Wilbur L. Farrar was elected trustee in the place of Sumner Tucker, resigned. The meeting adjourned until Tuesday evening of this week when Mr. Little gave the parish his final decision.

Peter Cane, who has been employed as freight agent during the winter has again taken his old position with the Oxford County Creamery, where he worked last summer. Herbert Walker is now freight clerk.

There was no possible chance for any of the base ball teams to play last Saturday. Next Saturday Paris high school will play Norway high school on the fair grounds, and everything points to a most exciting game.

Mrs. Louise J. Briggs sold two of her house lots on Pine street last week. One next to the Universalist church was sold to Robert Patterson and he intends to build on it at once. Another larger lot about opposite the Methodist parsonage was sold to Maurice L. Noyes. He also expects to build some time this season.

A very pleasant event for all present was the informal reception given to Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Kewley by the people of the Methodist church in their vestry Thursday evening of last week. An excellent supper was served to those interested in the church and this was followed by a social evening with no regular program.

William J. Wheeler has torn down the old carriage house on the west side of his stable and will build a new one. At the home of the bride on Park street, on Monday evening, occurred

the marriage of George Henry Soper and Annie L. Merrill, both of this village, Rev. J. H. Little being the officiating clergyman. Only a few of the immediate relatives of the bride were present.

Humlin Lodge, K. of P. will give a reception to those who took part in the drama recently given for the benefit of the lodge, at their hall, Friday evening. This hour is 8:15, after the regular lodge meeting.

The South Paris Colony at Shaggy Pond will be considerably enlarged the present season. Those who will build camps this year are Albert D. Park, A.W. Walker, Harry A. Morton and Alton C. Wheeler.

The Finns are acquiring property in our town at a rapid rate, two farms were purchased by them last week.

Arbor day, Friday, May 7th, will be observed by Oxford County Fruit Growers' Association by an out door meeting on the farm of Walter H. Sweet about a mile south of the village. Professor E. F. Hitchings will be present and give a demonstration of how to treat the diseases and pests that effect fruit trees. Picnic dinner at noon with coffee furnished by the association.

A. E. Shurtleff has completed the addition to his grain mill and is now using it. W. L. Blood had charge of the work.

Addie M. Lord, Unusually sad was the death of Miss Addie M. Lord, who died at the home of her father, Aaron W. Lord, on Gothic street, Tuesday evening, April 27th, after a short illness of double pneumonia. She was 23 years of age. Although she took the four years course of study in Paris high school in three years she won one of the honor parts of her class, the class of 1907. Since her graduation she had been engaged in teaching, having the school in the Porter district, and her faithful work had won for her the reputation of being one of the most successful teachers in town. When she was eleven years of age her mother died, leaving behind herself and father, two sisters and a brother considerably younger than herself, and for them she has sacrificed the greater part of her girlhood, thinking always of their needs before thinking of her own. The other children having reached an age where they were able to care for themselves, she had not reached a position where she could enjoy many of the pleasures of life which up to this time were necessarily denied to her. Being of a quiet and gentle disposition she made a large circle of friends who mourn her untimely death. She was a member of the St. Paris Baptist church and the funeral was held at that church Friday afternoon, attended by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Thresh.

BYRON. Mrs. W. S. Trummett of Ballouville is visiting relatives in Hop City.

Mr. James A. Taylor of Duxbury is stopping with his father, Dr. Stephen Taylor of Rockfield Hill "Jum" is making arrangements to move his family here the coming summer.

Mr. E. E. Knapp is working with his team on the highway in Roxbury. Miss Nora L. McKinney of Waterford is teaching the center school.

Miss Clara Johnston of Wilton has charge of the Houghton school.

Mr. H. H. Richards has been summoned to attend court at Auburn, this week.

Mr. Charles Winchester of Sterling, Mass., is visiting relatives at Glen Corner.

The cat came back, but will the dog? At a special town meeting held Saturday, E. G. Knapp was elected treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Houghton. It was voted to raise the treasurer's salary and buy a fire proof safe.

Mr. Ernest Knapp was elected moderator at the special town meeting.

The schools propose to observe Arbor Day in an appropriate manner, weather permitting.

Mrs. L. A. Dunn and Master Lloyd, visited Rumford, Saturday.

Mr. L. A. Dunn is building a belfry on the Center schoolhouse.

Chas. Carey has gone to Roxbury to work in the Hearn and Reed mill.

Mr. F. Baldwin is at work for L. A. Mason of Rockfield Hill.

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Berlin, leave	3:45	8:05	2:57
Gorham, leave	4:00	8:20	3:06
Gilead, leave	4:24	8:40	3:27
West Bethel, leave	4:35	8:51	3:38
BETHEL, leave	4:46	9:01	3:45
Locke's Mills, leave		9:11	3:54
Plymouth Pond, leave	5:05	9:20	4:03
South Paris, leave	5:16	9:30	4:13
Lewiston, arrive	6:40	10:55	5:35
Portland, arrive	7:39	11:45	6:30

## Trains Going West.

Stations.	No. 3	No. 5	No. 1
	Daily	Ex. Sun.	Daily
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Portland, leave	8:05	1:30	7:00
Lewiston, leave	8:50	2:25	7:50
South Paris, leave	9:50	3:26	8:47
Bryan's Pond, leave	10:18	4:03	9:18
Locke's Mills, leave	10:26	4:13	9:26
BETHEL, leave	10:35	4:25	9:37
West Bethel, leave	10:42	4:35	9:46
Gilead, leave	10:53	4:45	9:59
Gorham, leave	11:12	5:20	10:25
Berlin, leave	11:31	5:37	10:40

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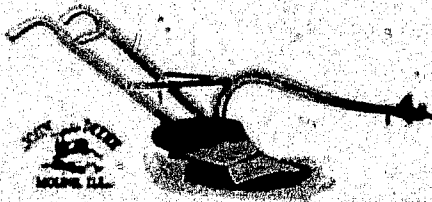
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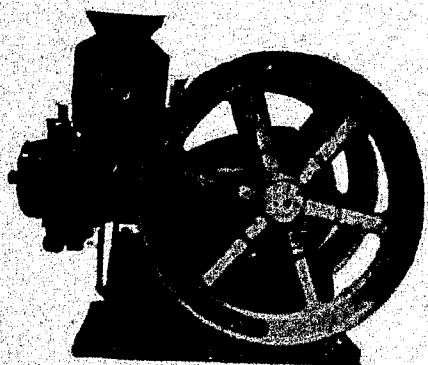
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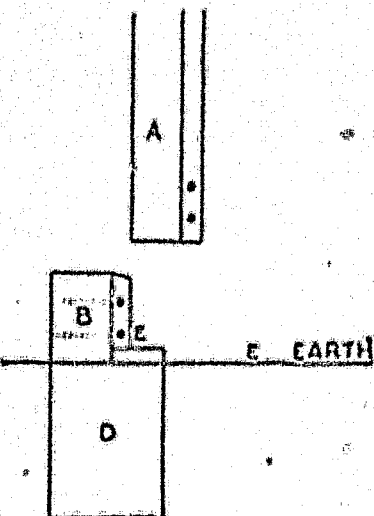
Cleanses the system thoroughly and clears sallow complexions of pimples and blotches. It is guaranteed

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### CEMENT POSTS.

New Idea of Using Wood Above the Ground.

Portland cement is used in many ways, and a very durable post is made of it. There are some objections to stone posts of any kind; for instance, the difficulty of fastening the fencing material to them. The new idea post seems to avoid this difficulty, says the Rural New Yorker. It consists of having the root or bottom of the post made of cement and the main post of wood. As it is up from the ground it is not apt to decay, and in case one does another can be substituted easily. The simple diagram given will show at once just what my idea is. The cement, B.D., is cast with a log, C, to take end of post, A. Two bolts are used in clamping them together. In moulding, run two smooth, round sticks through mould at B. It would also be well to reinforce the cement post at the top, each side of the hole, with old lath pipe or any size one happens to have. This is an ideal post for any purpose, for any kind of fencing can be used, and easily stripped and changed.



Cement Base to Hold Post.

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### WEED SEED IN MANURE.

Vitality Is More Than Apt to Be Destroyed.

Prof. Oswald of the Maryland station has undertaken to obtain a more definite information on the vitality of weed seed in manure by studying the effect of the fermentation of manure handled in different ways and of passing through the digestive systems of animals on the vitality of various weed seeds, including seeds of about 10 of the worst weeds.

In experiments in which the manure remained for six months in a barnyard heap and for a short while in piles, as when shipped in carload lots from cities, it was found that in the first case there was no danger and in the second case little danger of distributing live weed seeds.

In the experiments in which the weed seeds were fed to yearling steers and the manure handled in various ways it was found that where the manure was handled directly from the stable as a top dressing an average of only 12.8 per cent of the seeds fed to animals germinated, where manure was handled directly from the stable upon the land and plowed under, two-thirds per cent of the seeds fed to animals came up; where the droppings

remained on the pasture fields undisturbed as they fell, an average of only 3.1 per cent of the seeds fed to animals germinated.

The result indicates that in general it is safe to assume that the vitality of weed seeds is destroyed in well-rotted manure, but that many pass unharmed through the digestive tracts of animals and may be carried to the land if the manure is not well rotted before use.

### FARMER MAY MAKE CIGARS.

But They Must Be Only for His Own Use.

At frequent intervals after the cigar leaf tobacco crop has been harvested, inquiries are received concerning the right of the farmer to manufacture cigars for home use, or to sell the tobacco to a person other than an authorized dealer or manufacturer. For the information of all such persons, an explanation of the laws and regulations of the treasury department has been obtained from the office of the commissioner of Internal Revenue.

"Under existing laws," writes the commissioner, "a farmer or grower of tobacco has a right to sell leaf tobacco of his own growth and raising to any person in any quantity which may be desired, provided the condition of such leaf tobacco has not been changed in any manner from that in which it was cured on the farm. The manufacture of cigars in a small way by any person for his own use and consumption is permissible when the cigars are manufactured solely for the use of the person making them, and are not removed from the place of manufacture for consumption or sale. No taxes are required nor is the person so manufacturing required to qualify as a manufacturer or make any reports.

"Unless the person intending to manufacture cigars as above desired should be a farmer or shall secure his stock of tobacco directly from the farmer, all other sources of supply would be closed to him by the requirement of the law which provides that dealers in leaf tobacco shall sell only to other dealers and to manufacturers of tobacco or cigars, or to such persons as are known to be purchasers of leaf tobacco for export."

### CALLS FOR LARGE SACRIFICES.

Ministerial Work Means Giving Up Idea of Worldly Advancement.

Had we ministers trained and worked for a business life as we trade and work for the ministry, and lived as economically as we have in the ministry, many of us could have accumulated fortunes ere this. I should like to know if there is any class of men on earth who get more out of the use of their money than the ministers. Show me any other class of men on earth who as average salary of \$13 a week who dress so well, live so well, educate their families so well, give so much and save so much for a rainy day, and I will yield my point. Business men rarely realize the sacrifices ministers make. I once tried to persuade a man of large possessions, who is making \$15,000 a year, to give up his business and accept a position in our denominational work, which would bring him in \$7,500. He almost had a fit at the very suggestion. We do not envy our business classmates who have won fame or accumulated wealth,

for in so doing they have had to forego the heavenly privileges which we have enjoyed. We do not want to be pitted, we are not objects of charity, and we are contented with our lot.—Rev. Dr. Curtis Lee Laws, in Leslie's Weekly.

### REAL LIVELY SPORTING EVENT.

All Sorts of Things Happened at Tobacco-Chewing Marathon.

"No sport around here?" drawled the old storekeeper at Bacon Ridge, reflectively. "Why, young man, you are away off. You just should have been around here last Saturday night and seen our tobacco-chewing Marathon."

"Tobacco-chewing Marathon?" gasped the cornstarch drummer in surprise. "Yes, sir, it was the liveliest sporting event in the state. You see, old Squire Weatherby claimed that he could chew more tobacco in an hour than any man in the village. Seth Wheatley took him up. Well, as the crowd was standing around and betting on their favorites and Seth had chewed up six plugs, a little piece slipped down his throat and made him sneeze. Well, sir, there was a case of fine pepper at that end of the counter and as Seth sneezed the pepper went up in a cloud, and then everybody sneezed. Some of it got in old man Hardapple's eyes and he pulled off his coat and wanted to fight. Then somebody upset the store and scared the cat. When it was all over Josh Weatherby found his watch had been stolen by a horse trader who had crept in to get warm. Sport? Well, give me a tobacco-chewing Marathon every time."

A Practical Proof of the story of some people's having supernatural powers? "I didn't till I met a dentist who operated on young Brassy, and performed a miraculous feat."

"What was it?" "He killed Brassy's nerve."—Baltimore American.

In the Balance. "Mr. Higgins has developed a habit of saying rude and sarcastic things," said Miss Sweet. "Yes," answered Miss Cayenne. "I am waiting to see whether he is going to be recognized as a great bore or a social lion."

Conceited Hussy. Evelyn—There was one person in 15 who has perfect eyes. George (with unconscious fervor)—In 15? There's only one in a million! Evelyn—There you go again, George! Always flattering somebody!

One More Unfortunate. Mrs. Blackstock—You have an occupation, have you? Well, what is it? Padded Pothouse—Lady, I'll be honest with you. I'm a parlor socialist, but just at present I ain't got no parlor.—Puck.

Pandemonium. "Nature knew what she was doing when she deprived Beke of a voice." "How do you make that out?" "What if a fish had to cackle every egg it laid?"—Cleveland Leader.

Intangible. Reader—How can you always tell whether a play is bad or good? Critic—By the people who recommend it to me.—Cleveland Leader.

### STATE OF MAINE.

A Proclamation by the Governor.

To replace the losses of trees from decay and destruction; to beautify waste places; to foster a love and respect for beautiful trees; to augment public appreciation of the matchless endowment of Maine in her natural resources, and to bring us generally face to face with nature at least once a year, I, Bert M. Fernald, Governor of Maine, in furtherance of these purposes, and by authority of law, do hereby issue this, my proclamation, designating

FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1909.

Arbor Day, which day is set apart by law "for the planting of trees and shrubs and the adornment of public and private grounds," the law stipulating that this shall be a holiday in the public schools, only when observed by the teachers and pupils thereof, for the purposes set aside by the Governor and Council.

This day offers also an opportunity for teachers to explain the fundamental issues of National and State conservation of Natural resources; for civic improvement societies to develop their principles into practice by the systematic planting of shade trees; for lovers of the forest domain of our State to enforce their appeals for the protection of forests from fire and from their enemies; and for the advocates of reforestation to emphasize its value for industrial, commercial and all other purposes. Let the day be devoted to teaching the younger generation in particular the best methods of tree planting, the proper cultivation and protection of trees, the true relation of trees to public health and comfort; the exact dependence of society upon the forests in respect to rain fall and the flow of rivers, and, finally, the inculcation of a fitting sentiment of respect and love for the tree as a thing of beauty and as a manifestation of the perfect handiwork of the Creator.

GIVEN at the Executive Chamber at Augusta, this twenty-seventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine and of the Independence of America the one hundred and thirty-third.

BERT M. FERNALD, Governor.

By the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council.

A. I. BROWN, Secretary of State.

Report of the Condition of the BETHEL NATIONAL BANK, AT BETHEL, In the State of Maine, at the Close of Business, April 28th, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$44,032.77
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	10,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	478.13
Bonds, Securities, etc.	31,140.00
Banking house, Furniture, and Fixtures	457.50
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	11,404.01
Due from approved Reserve agents	10,251.10
Checks and other Cash Items	190.52
Notes of other National Banks	867.60
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents	120.60
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	4,695.30
Legal-tender notes	250.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	260.00
Total	\$115,401.74

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus fund	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	3,022.00
National Bank Notes outstanding	10,000.00
Due to Trust Companies and Saving Banks	1,000.00
Dividends unpaid	15.00
Individuals Deposits subject to check	71,364.74
Total	\$115,401.74

STATE OF MAINE, COUNTY OF OXFORD, ss: I, ELLERY C. PARK, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELLERY C. PARK, Cashier.

Correct—Attest: SEITH WALKER, E. C. BOWLER, IRA C. JORDAN, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of May, 1909. A. R. HERRICK, Notary Public.

## "THE COMPLEXITY OF THINGS."

Ideas of Prof. Robinson.

As Given in Mexico Address.

The lecture delivered by Prof. F. C. Robinson of Bowdoin College at the schoolhouse in Mexico, Wednesday, April 23, was full of suggestive thoughts, and we regret our inability to reproduce the address in full.

In lieu thereof we present the thought condensed.

The Professor was earnest in his declaration favoring a change in the system of teaching, (teaching applying to the general efforts to improve mankind) and the recognition of the complexity of things. The old conception of the proper education of youth, the functions of the human body and the construction of the universe, as simple, was the stumbling block in the way of progress. In speaking of electricity, steam, and the Copernican theory of the sun, instead of the earth, being the center of the universe, as resulting from the recognition by some particular mind of the strange and complex relationships between nature's various forces, he brought into clear view the fact that the appearance of things—the obvious thing—the thing that is in vogue is not usually the progressive force.

The slowness of the human mind to grasp principles or discoveries and apply them was illustrated by the fact that the entire principles underlying electric force was known years and years before any useful application was made of it.

Steam power was known for ages before the mind of Watt got out of the simple deduction that, and recognized the complexity of things, and applied steam to the piston rod and produced circular motion. Prof. Robinson's account of the rumpus that was created by the over throw of the old and simple principle of the universe was another reminder that the majority of minds follow the easiest mental route.

The fact that men, the scholars of the time reflected the Copernican theory and demonstrated by simple analogy (and incidentally by executing several of the Copernican theories) that the earth was the center of the universe, and that it was no kind of a God that would make any other sort of a world, was related to show the difficulty that lies in the path of progress and the grasp of the "complexity of things" as the Professor designated the newer understanding of nature.

There was much that should cause us to think seriously in his declaration that the legislature last winter could not be interested in efforts to do something towards eliminating the deadly disease of consumption and typhoid fever. He said he was in favor of prohibition and the liquor laws of the State, but thought it the influence of the spectacular that caused the legislature to appropriate money and spend days and days talking upon the liquor question, and almost ignore the petition for relief from the plague of tuberculosis and typhoid, that are far more deadly than alcohol in their effects. In his appeal for adherence to truth in schools, churches, and reform movements he touched upon another matter worthy of attention. The idea was that the habit of exaggeration that prevailed in the efforts to impress the mind with certain needed lessons, was wrong. He illustrated by citing the frequently repeated story often accompanied by pictures, showing a man falling dead after having drunk a glass of whiskey. The fact is that whiskey does not produce that effect and when the boy, who has had that kind of teaching has grown up and learns that he was deceived, he begins to doubt the truth of any part of the lessons taught him.

The lecture was replete with valuable hints, and it was also noticeable that many things were left unsaid that the Professor had in mind, but probably thought the recognition of the "complexity of things" was not yet enough developed to warrant their being spoken at that time.

The community is indebted to Superintendent Rogers of the Mexico Schools for the pleasure of hearing Prof. Robinson. More lectures of the kind would be well worth while.

### NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Henrietta Farrar late of Peru in the County of Oxford, deceased, and gives bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereon are required to make payment immediately.

HENRY C. FARRAR, April 28th, 1909.

## WANTED.

A capable woman for general housework. Apply to Mrs. R. E. Swain, 104 Knox Street, Rumford.

FOR SALE—A house lots on Mason street. Inquire of Jas. W. Smith, Bethel, Me.

PASTURING—Can take horses or cattle for the season of 1909 in any quantity. Inquire of Hastings Bros., Bethel, Me. 5-6 t f

WANTED—at once, a man to do special work, for the Prudential Insurance Company, in this County. Experience not necessary. Address Arthur G. Eaton, Manager for Maine, 92 Exchange St., Portland, Me. 5-6 4 t

## BUSINESS FINDER.

May baskets, the usual good assortment, 10 cents to \$1.00 at King's. Dutch Collars, 18 cents to 25 cents, at King's. Shirt Waists, this spring's new goods, 50 cents up, King's.

## A HOSPITAL FOR RUMFORD FALLS.

(Continued from Page One.)

This brought out an extended series of explanations and discussions, participated in by Drs. Hutchins, Lesieur, and Wheel, the substance of which was that while some persons abused the privileges of a free hospital, most of those able to pay, do pay for their care, and that those unable to are more cheaply cared for in a hospital, than in their rooms or homes. Dr. Wheel explained that it was not intended to make it a staff hospital, as are the Lewiston and Portland institutions.

The clergy were then invited to express their views, and Rev. H. L. Hanson spoke favorably and cited the instance of a case that had occurred that day, where a man, too old and feeble to be removed to Lewiston had to be operated on at his home, and it was inconvenient, and called for a great amount of extra work. A local hospital would have relieved the situation.

Rev. H. S. Ryder endorsed the favorable views, and said that he had not been in town long enough to become familiar with its needs, yet knew from general facts that a hospital would be beneficial.

Stanley Dibece spoke of the fact that the State aided hospitals and that Oxford, Franklin and Somerset were the only counties in the State that did not apply for hospital aid in the last legislature. Thought such aid could be had for a hospital in Rumford, conducted on right principles. It would have to be in a sense, a free hospital.

Dr. Stawood, who came in late, addressed the meeting, to the effect that every hospital that was ever established had to work against bad wind. He thought temporary quarters could be procured and then as able, the management could increase the capacity. His idea was that it was not a question for physicians to look at from a monetary viewpoint. That must not be considered. The profession is, or should be, governed by higher ideals.

Dr. Nile then spoke upon the danger of sending patients so far as they now have to be, to get to a hospital, cited the fact that in cases of typhoid fever, that few patients recover when sent away. He related several instances of cases where the home surroundings of patients were dangerous to the patient and to the community. Thought a hospital would relieve much distress.

Lawyer Hutchins being asked to express his views said while employed in the office of the Oxford mill, at one time, he had a chance to observe the need for a hospital, for hardly a day passed that some one was not injured, more or less seriously in the mill. Nearly all such cases ought to be taken to a hospital, but Lewiston was too far away.

M. A. Brigham said the evidence submitted convinced him of the need of the hospital and whether it was operated as a charitable or business enterprise, asked for a definite plan for starting the movement. On motion of Dr. Wheel, the chair appointed a committee of three to bring in a list of names to be elected as a committee to formulate plans and report at a future meeting. Dr. Hutchins, Rev. Mr. Hanson, and Stanley Dibece were appointed and brought in the following list of names:

Geo. D. Dibece, F. C. Bates, Charles Hutchins, J. H. Hasset, John Stephens.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Ointment Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will cleanse these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well. W. R. Bosserman, Bethel, Me. R. Fernald, Rumford, Me.



## RUMFORD.

Last Thursday, Mrs. E. L. Cowan entertained the XII. Club.

Rev. H. H. Hyder preached at Rumford Center, Sunday at 2 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Day were in attendance at the Methodist conference at Berlin.

P. B. Lane has returned from the hospital in Lewiston, very much improved in health.

Mrs. E. W. Howe has spent a week at the home of Miss John P. Swamy and family at Canton.

Howe and Mrs. Waldo Pettengill are attending the 20th annual convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Bradford Reed, a popular young man about town, has gone to Arrowsick County, where he is engaged in railroad survey work.

At the Baptist parsonage, Thursday evening last, Harold Pearson and Miss Marie Cook were united in marriage by Rev. H. L. Hanson.

Those who have visited Miss Mary E. H. Haggerty from their business and social life of the village, will be pained to learn that she is ill of in grippe at her home in Westbrook.

Mrs. Naden, James Rhea, and Fred A. Curtis were in attendance at the first annual of the Improved Order of Red Men at Portland, as representatives of the Wawamash tribe, 41 of Rumford.

The supper at the Universalist church Friday last Thursday night, was largely attended, and the occasion made very pleasant by music, furnished by an orchestra selected for the occasion by P. J. Higby.

The Southville Athletics, the last team that made good in its career last season, and played the famous game at Andover in September, has organized for this season. Wm. H. Burgess, Manager and Bert Winkler, Captain.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Farmer have returned to Arkham, N. Y., Kansas State, where they will make their future home. Mr. Farmer has been farmer and has run the better to the State game and other holdings in Rumford. Mrs. Farmer was formerly a student in the Rumford Academy. Mr. and Mrs. Farmer were both well liked, and their departure from home leaves many regretful friends.

The report that the schoolmen had refused to leave several carriages on wheels from the fact that some of them were the property of parties for hire, and that they were not to be used as such, was not true. As no charges were asked for, none were granted and the report was not true.

Bradley afternoon about 8 o'clock, Mrs. Clara Hamilton and Mrs. William Thayer were driving down the Falls A. D. when the horse fell. The women were fortunate enough to keep their seats, and escaped without injury. Mrs. Thayer ran to their assistance. The only damage done was a broken wheel.

Mr. Geo. B. Harnsford, affiliated at the funeral of Mrs. Curran at Andover, Tuesday. That made 417 funerals that he has officiated at during his ministry. Probably an unbroken record.

## Drug Store Class

In our selection of the most ordinary Drug Store goods, as well as in our selection of rare drugs, every effort is made for Class, Quality and Neatness.

How well we have always succeeded is evidenced by our growing and satisfied trade.

Chas. E. Fernald,  
Rumford, Me.

O. J. Gony was in Portland, Monday and Tuesday.

Rev. Geo. B. Harnsford held services at Southville, last Sunday.

Miss Ethel Wathurst was a visitor in Lewiston, last week.

A. W. Ruff has returned from a two weeks' vacation.

Dr. Small, of Dr. Trask's office has been on a week's vacation.

Lottie Wilson has returned from a two weeks' vacation in Portland.

A new parsonage residence for Rev. J. A. Laflamme is being built on Main Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Hill of Portland are spending a week at Hotel Rumford.

Mrs. Gardner H. Cobb, who has been two weeks in Portland on a visit, returned home Monday.

W. C. Holt of Indian Rock Camp was in town Wednesday and says the ice is not yet out of Howard Pond.

A reception was given to Mr. John Rodolph and wife Monday night upon their return from their wedding trip.

Saturday afternoon the Methodist Sunday School will conduct a food sale at McDonald's drug store.

Fred J. Rolfe was in town for several days this week. He returned to Ogunquit, Thursday.

Mrs. A. T. Ruff, who has been ill for several weeks is now suffering from rheumatic fever, and heart trouble.

The infant daughter of Guy Haggerty died Saturday afternoon. The funeral was held Monday at 2 o'clock p. m.

Miss Sadie Virgin was the leader at the Universalist Young People's meeting, Sunday night. Prayer was the subject.

Herbert F. Morry and Miss Gladys Hillman were married by Rev. H. H. Hyder at the Methodist parsonage, Tuesday, April 27.

Rev. H. H. Hyder will preach at the Universalist church Sunday, May 16. There will be a parish meeting Saturday evening the 15th.

W. P. Mitchell was in town Monday. He viewed Mount Washington Lake. He thinks there will be no more crossing on the ice this year.

Matthew McIntosh and wife returned Monday from a two weeks' trip to Massachusetts. They visited Boston, Brockton and other cities.

The contract for putting up fire escapes on the Rumford school building has been given to a North Brunswick firm. Lowest bidder being the reason.

Monday night, May 3, the wife of D. J. Moyer of the Gony Brothers Co., gave birth to twins, a boy and a girl. Mother and babies are doing splendidly, and Mr. Moyer is greeting his family with two smiles, instead of one.

Sept. W. E. Hawley was operated on last Friday for the relief of gall stones, and at last reports was improving rapidly. Owing to his advanced age, it was thought doubtful if he could stand the operation as well as he did.

Emile King, known as the French cook from Westbrook, has bought the Aerie lunch, and will cater to first class trade. Mr. King and his wife are both cooks, and come here with a first class knowledge of the business, and will conduct a clean and up-to-date cafe.

At the Monday night's meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps, Mrs. Sarah Parsons of Auburn, addressed the ladies upon the subject of the order. Several very pertinent remarks were made upon the character and faithful work of the order. Mrs. Clara Marx.

Representatives of schools, H. J. Chase, spoke before the Androscoggin County Teachers' Association, Monday. He will also address the State Association of School Superintendents at Orono in July. His subject will be "A Standard Course of Study."

The case against Joe Normande, charged with paying a witness to abscond, was dismissed by Judge Stearns, Tuesday. It was a case that dated back some time and the service upon Normande was found not to have been legally made. Charles P. Fink was to have been a witness against Normande.

## BOWLER'S PACIFIC COAST TOURS.

Special Train Party to Leave Portland and Boston on July 15th.

Mr. E. C. Bowler of Bethel, Me., whose Pacific Coast tours have delighted so many people throughout New England and Canada, announces a special train tour to start from Portland and Boston on July 15. The route is via Montreal, Chicago, Denver and Colorado Springs. Two days, brim full of sight seeing, will be spent at the two latter points. From there the party will continue through the famous scenic route of the Denver and Rio Grande, through the Royal Gorge to Salt Lake City, thence to Los Angeles, San Francisco, Mt. Shasta, Portland and Seattle. Will be in Seattle for New England Day, at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, August 5th. The return trip will be via the Canadian Pacific, through the world famous Canadian Rockies, thence to St. Paul, Chicago and Niagara Falls. The route for the tour is one of the most cleverly selected, affording the most rare attractions and diversified scenery of any which has ever been advertised between ocean and ocean. Full information may be obtained by addressing

E. C. BOWLER, Bethel, Me.

## PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of April, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine, The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of May, A. D. 1909, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Ann O. L. Barbank late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by Charles P. Sanderson, the executor therein named.

Melvin S. Coburn late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by Sophronia Coburn, the executrix therein named.

Gordon E. Brooks late of Greenwood, deceased; debt account and petition for allowance out of personal estate presented by Charles B. Brooks, administrator and executor.

Timothy J. Chapman, late of Oxford, deceased; petition for appointment of Granville A. Chapman, of said Oxford, as trustee, in place of A. Joshua Blake, resigned.

ADAMSON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court.

A true copy—attest:  
ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

## NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Oliver P. Farington late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and gives bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ALICE M. FARRINGTON.  
April 28th, 1909.

## NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Peter Wheeler late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and gives bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

BRISTOL A. WHEELER.  
April 28th, 1909.

## HALF-HOUR INTERVIEWS.

Henry Siegel, Norway, Maine.

A familiar figure on the streets of Norway is Turner Cerval, a young Russian by birth but strictly American through adoption. His pleasing manners and good habits draw the young people toward him; all anxious to lend a helping hand whenever instruction or explanation is needed.

Canvassing is the lucrative occupation of Henry Siegel (as pronounced in English), in fact that has been his work during the past twenty years, and he knows the business from beginning to end. His life story may not differ materially from that experienced by other immigrants to our shores. However, a good lesson can be learned of perseverance and business push even if followed by a shadow from the boy's hand of fate.

Turner Cerval, or Henry Siegel, Americanized, was born in Gannashsky, Russia, June 21, 1883. His mother died before he was seven years of age and the father soon married a second wife. Apparently home was not wholly congenial to the lad for he soon decided to make a change. Running away from school and home to a distant town, he invested all his savings (about fifteen cents of his money) in matches, peddling this necessary commodity until the small profits accumulated and a basket of notions could be procured. Young Henry handled this line of small wares during the next few years, walking over a large part of Russia during the time. Perseverance and strict economy brought his reward, for this boy traveler saved nearly six hundred dollars, which he invested in a stock of dry goods and a team to transport this new cargo.

When but fourteen years old Henry decided to branch out with something entirely different, so entered into partnership with a friend, buying, selling and trading horses. After three successful years in this business the partner shipped with the money, leaving Henry nothing but a raw boned nag, an old harness and a cheap carriage. "Necessity is the mother of invention" so after much dickerings this outfit was knocked down to a cash buyer, and the small proceeds from the sale was put into another basket of novelties to be sold from house to house while walking through the country. Two years of this work made the lost "roll" appear once more and prosperity again knocked loudly at the door. Feeling just a little independent over such good fortune, Henry visited his boyhood home and reached there just in time to be drafted into the Russian army, for the year has the remarkable faculty of keeping tabs on every male Jew as they near the twenty year mark. A clever rascal and a little bribery here and there fixed up matters pretty well so a document was issued releasing him from immediate service.

When Russia became mixed up with Japan and the war clouds gathered, Henry didn't feel perfectly easy over the situation and had many doubts concerning the efficacy of his costly document. To be on the safe side he immigrated to the United States, where friends in Boston took him in. Not one word of English could he speak or understand and the uphill struggle commenced.

Six months canvassing near the city settled funds so that he could reach Lancaster, Pa., where a brother was located. Securing steady employment at that place, Henry once again witnessed prosperity and saved a nest egg of greenbacks. In 1895 our wanderer returned to Boston where "Money was thicker" and started a credit clothing business. A dismal failure resulted, so street raking was attempted as the only means left to retrieve the lost cash. Finding that profession overworked, Henry journeyed eastward as far as Lewiston, Me. and canvassed six months, night and day with huge boxes of stationery under each arm. Business proved fair, so a line of dry goods packed neatly in a basket replaced the paper and envelope trade.

Learning that Norway, Me., was a "land flowing with milk and honey" with silver dollars hanging on every door knob, he hastened to secure a portion of the reputed wealth.

Mr. Siegel has been with us nearly two years and today there are but few canvassing the village, better known or more generally liked than this once poor Russian peasant. One great set back to this hard worker is the circumstance of acquiring our English language. He speaks and writes clearly the Russian language; Russian, Polish, Catholic, Lutheran, and German, yet none of the "Yankee" man's speech decidedly different and not particularly easy. "When I speak like you do," says Henry, "I will vote like you."

Meaning of course, when all legal obstacles are removed or completed with, citizenship will be the result. How fortunate would our country be if each emigrant had the courage, often boys in the long summer vacation had

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## A BOY'S HOLIDAYS.

The ardent controversy which has been raging in England and America concerning the best way to dispose of school boys in the long summer vacation has

prompted the Grand Trunk Railway System to issue a special publication giving suggestions and practical hints to parents, as to what to do with the public and preparatory school boy during the months of July and August. The vacation camp is one of the selections and the publication entitled, "What shall a Boy do with his Vacation?" thoroughly covers the ground and solves the problem of the best way for a schoolboy to enjoy his holidays.

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## FROM THE SIGHT-SEER'S NOTE BOOK.

The Sightseer was accosted by a young fellow the morning following the banquet at the hotel, with this question, "Is there anything about the hotel bankrupt in the paper?"

The Sightseer is not dull—at least he thinks not—but it was several seconds before he recovered from the shock induced by the sudden thought thrust upon him that the hotel had gone into insolvency, and realized that the fellow "spoke not" of such a calamity, but of the banquet. The young fellow was not an alien but a Yankee lad, who had missed connections somewhere.

Two fellows were discussing cereals one morning recently at the breakfast table, one of them said "I see that they are numbering cereals, I wonder why and how they do it? I suppose it is so the different kinds can be sold by numbers and not by names."

The other fellow allowed that was probably so. As they were intelligent looking fellows, the Scribe assumes that they were making a play upon words, knowing full well the significance of the system of serially numbering the articles that are registered under the pure food law; but if so they were mighty good actors for not the semblance of a smile flitted across either of their faces during the conversation.

The Scribe wandered into the office of Judge Stearns the other morning. The Judge was somewhat wrought up over some recently reported depredations by youthful offenders, and was wondering what could be done to impress the juvenile mind with the necessity of rectitude. While the Judge was speculating on the subject, several men came in, Lawyer Blanchard, Leon Small, Officer Roach and Chief Gilpatrick. The conversation then took a turn, and some remark was made about death, and Judge Stearns said, "Well, I opine that death is the solution. Chief Gilpatrick, who evidently has either Adventist or materialistic notions, dryly remarked, "you mean dissolution."

That was the end of the discussion, but the Judge looked as though he thought solution and dissolution might both be the result of death.

Ed, Cornell now and then tells a story of the early characters in Rumford Falls, that sounds good—even if bad.

The other day, Ed. asked the Scribe if he knew old man Blank. "No, never heard of him," said the Scribe. "Well he died before you came to town," volunteered Ed. "The old fellow was a Turk," he continued. "He had two girls, and one day a piano agent called and wanted to sell them an instrument. The girls asked the old man to buy it. The old Turk, who conducted a boarding house, said with quite a few cuss words, to make his meaning plain, 'Yo can't eat a piano. It ain't no good in my business.'"

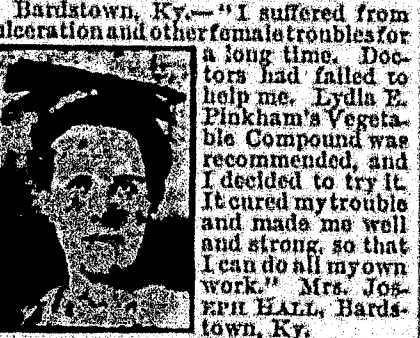
The agent on the quiet made arrangements with the girls to put the piano in the house for two weeks, on the prospect of the old man growing to like it well enough to keep it.

"When I was unloading it," continued Ed old Blank was there, but made no objection, and for the two weeks it was there never spoke about it to the girls.

The agent then came and hired me to take it away. "What ye doin'," asked the old Turk as we began to move it out. The agent explained, the situation, and old Blank, then said, "told ye I didn't want any piano, but

## MADE WELL AND STRONG

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If you want special advice write for it to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. It is free and always helpful.

He put it in here, and before ye take it out I want ye to settle. "Settle what?" asked the surprised agent. "Why the storage charges," was the reply. "How much is the bill?" asked the agent. "\$29," was the reply, and I'll be dogged if he didn't make the fellow pay before he would allow the piano to be taken out—I tell ye, old Blank was a tyrant."

"Say, he was the same old fellow that always teased the heat of the frying pan, by slightly spitting on it, the amount of sizzle, being the gauge. If sufficiently hot on went the griddle cake mixture, wasn't he?" asked a bystander.

Ed turned pale, and abashed and looked disgusted; for just before that he had remarked that he bearded with the old man for a while.

Ed made no answer and soon told another story, although he was not trying to omit to kidding.

## A DEMAND FOR FIRE PROOF BUILDINGS.

"No other country suffers so enormous conflagration losses as does the United States and it is this class of loss, due to the rapidity with which fires spread, involving whole blocks and cities, that require attention. In spite of the most efficient fire departments in the world, for which American cities are celebrated, and in spite of an abundant water supply, all human efforts are powerless when once a fire gets under considerable headway where inflammable and flimsy buildings congregate, with the result that in every city and village in the United States there is ever present the possibility of large loss of life and property."

The above is an extract from the report of Richard L. Humphrey, engineer in charge of the structural material laboratories of the United States Geological Survey. He further states that in 1907 the fire losses in the country averaged over one million and a half of dollars every day. Both loss of life and property in the United States from fire, far exceeds such losses in Europe.

Mrs. Frost—There is only one little hotel in this town, George. Will we have to put up there?

Mr. Frost (stomach churning)—Yes, dear; just about three times as much as if there were two hotels.—Chicago News.

Savannah.  
"The case" also tried to copy some. "The case" also tried to copy some. "The case" also tried to copy some.

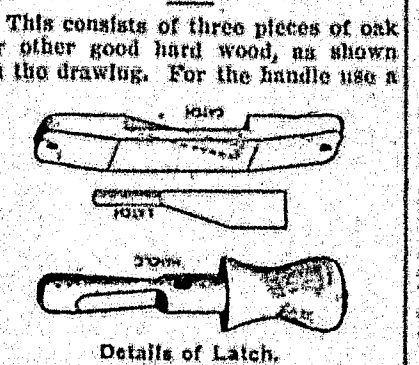
Nothing Doing.  
"Gee whizz, boss!" said the outboarded hobo who had drifted into the private office, "but drop in here or we can't give you each an extra dollar a night's board."

"Get out of here!" yelled the man behind the desk. "Do you mean to insult me that I look like 99 cents? Fade away!"—Chicago Daily News.

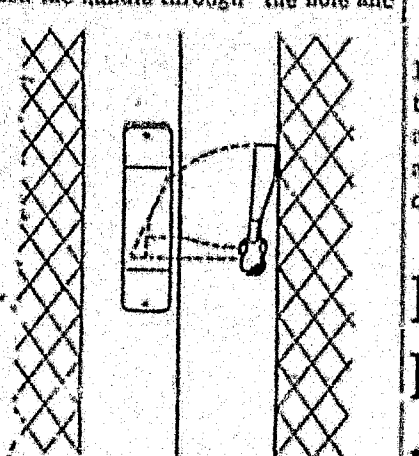
Practical Test.  
"Hill—I see a left handed high school girl out in the state of Washington has won in a contest by throwing a baseball 192 feet and 8 inches." "Jill—Why didn't they have a practical test of her skill?" "How's that?" "Let her throw a rolling pin."

## ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT

A GOOD DOOR LATCH.  
One Which You Can Easily Make for Yourself.



This consists of three pieces of oak or other good hard wood, as shown in the drawing. For the handle use a piece of 5x2x1 inches. Shape a flatish knob on one end three inches long. Work down the rest so as to pass through a one-inch auger hole. Shape a knob on the other end by flattening the sides. The latch is made of a piece 5x1x1 inches. The catch is 5x2x1 inches.



Bore a one-inch hole for the handle three inches from the edge of the door. Push the handle through the hole and mark on it the thickness of the door; then bore in the handle a three-eighths inch hole for the latch. Now, explains the Orange Judd Farmer, assemble the parts according to the finished figure, which shows the latch thrown back. A little peg may be used to keep the latch from falling down when the door is open.

## FARM DRIVEWAYS EASILY MADE.

Have Good Roadbed from the Road to the House.

While we are busily talking about good roads, we must not forget the most needful one is that which runs from the gate to the barn, and over which we travel many a mile during the year. At the time I moved to Michigan farm eight years ago, writes a Michigan farmer to Orange Judd Farmer, the mud was hub deep for the horses, and no better for the men on the footpaths. We moved here April 11, and the women folks did not get to the barn until after the middle of May. As soon as the crops were in, these roads received my individual attention, until in a serviceable condition.

I did not draw in more dirt to soak up, but began at the bottom by plowing out and removing over a foot of the soil. I then opened a gravel bank and drew in enough to fill that taken out. Next I made arrangements for some clinders, and put them over the gravel about a foot thick. This answered very well that season, but in the fall before the mud began to deepen, I covered the road again, and during the winter all the coal ashes were spread wherever there seemed to be a low spot. By following this scheme for four years I succeeded in making a road that never has any mud. If I find a low spot, where water stands after a rain, it is taken care of at once.

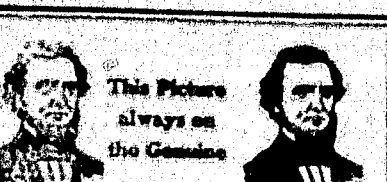
On the south side of the house, three years ago, I built a road that has not required any repaving as yet beyond drawing three loads of gravel last spring. For this road I pursued a little different method. It was old sod, so I plowed through it and turned the sod upside down three deep on either side of the road, then drew out all the dirt beneath that was loose and easy to handle.

This left me a trench about 18 inches or two feet in fill, which I drew from my gravel bank, and no clinders were put on this road, as I could not get them. This roadway is about nine inches above the lawn on either side, and never gets muddy. About the house are cement platforms and walks, while the roadway on either side is so hard it can be swept at any time. I find it pays when you are at it to make a good road, and takes no longer. I find a gravel bank about the best bank I can patronize, when it comes to road making.

## FARM NOTES.

It's hard when an illusion changes to a delusion.  
The stilt which the man to his job may become the chain that holds him to slavery.

A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush, especially if the two are scrub and the one is a bird to lay business firm.  
To destroy her lice, sprinkle sweet powder, any of the varieties used to destroy squash bugs will do, in the dust bath, enough to slightly irritate the skin of the powder, and let the horse scratch in this and so dust themselves.



Are YOUR children Pale? Are they thin; sleepless, and lack the healthy appetite a child should have? Nothing like

## TRUE'S ELIXIR

for symptoms like those. It will do the work ninety-nine times out of a hundred. Buy a fifty-cent bottle to-day. It has such a pleasant taste the child will like it. If it doesn't improve the child to your satisfaction, the druggist will refund the money.

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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1908.

Real Estate, \$128,936.25

Mortgage Loans, \$9,000.00

Stocks and Bonds, \$1,813.91

Cash in Office and Bank, \$1,813.91

All other Assets, \$1,813.91

Gross Assets, \$147,115.71

Deduct items not admitted, 1,225.80

Admitted Assets, \$145,889.91

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1908.

Net Unpaid Losses, \$ 9,271.40

Unearned Premiums, 12,450.50

All other Liabilities, 5,368.07

Cash Capital, 100,000.00

Surplus over Liabilities, 17,858.18

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$145,889.91

O. C. WOOD, State Agent, Bangor, Maine.

## ST. PAUL FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

St. Paul, Minn.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1908.

Real Estate, \$ 864,880.48

Mortgage Loans, 601,920.00

Stocks and Bonds, 2,753,353.34

Cash in Office and Bank, 252,706.91

Agents' Balances, 434,019.76

Bills Receivable, 18,539.48

Interest and Rents, 29,319.20

All other Assets, 3,191.36

Gross Assets, \$5,457,040.70

Deduct items not admitted, 27,355.10

Admitted Assets, \$5,430,685.60

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1908.

Net Unpaid Losses, \$ 259,315.42

Unearned Premiums, 2,381,409.09

All other Liabilities, 52,503.34

Cash Capital, 500,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,937,922.21

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$5,430,685.60

H. L. ELLIOTT, Agent, Rumford Falls, Me.

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## THE CAPITAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CONCORD, N. H.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1908.

Real Estate, \$ 92,907.27

Mortgage Loans, 50,048.55

Collateral Loans, 19,700.00

Stocks and Bonds, 455,460.51

Cash in Office and Bank, 59,093.35

Agents' Balances, 56,279.73

Interest and Rents, 5,180.03

All other Assets, 2,995.49

Gross Assets, \$771,264.43

Deduct items not admitted, 2,409.16

Admitted Assets, \$768,855.27

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1908.

Net Unpaid Losses, \$ 30,493.53

Unearned Premiums, 349,804.77

All other Liabilities, 22,525.09

Cash Capital, 200,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 135,026.26

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$768,855.27

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## UNITED STATES FIDELITY & GUARANTY CO., BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1908.

Real Estate, \$ 451,551.84

Mortgage Loans, 9,800.00

Collateral Loans, 140,104.16

Stocks and Bonds, 2,677,602.83

Cash in Office and Bank, 252,706.91

Agents' Balances, 395,498.54

Interest and Rents, 31,929.26

All other Assets, 75,024.78

Gross Assets, \$4,447,228.62

Deduct items not admitted, 1,225.80

Admitted Assets, \$4,446,002.82

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1908.

Net Unpaid Losses, \$ 704,937.29

Unearned Premiums, 1,482,623.51

All other Liabilities, 156,019.07

Cash Capital, 1,700,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 262,987.01

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$4,446,002.82

H. L. ELLIOTT, Agent, Rumford Falls, Me.

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## NEW BRUNSWICK FIRE INS. CO.

New Brunswick, N. J.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1908.

Real estate, \$ 119,537.04

Mortgage Loans, 92,435.00

Stocks and Bonds, 252,706.91

Cash in Office and Bank, 252,706.91

Agents' Balances, 395,498.54

Interest and Rents, 31,929.26

All other Assets, 31,929.26

Gross Assets, \$1,016,331.42

Deduct items not admitted, 1,225.80

Admitted Assets, \$1,015,105.62

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1908.

Net Unpaid Losses, \$ 21,432.03

Unearned Premiums, 394,111.41

All other Liabilities, 1,546.16

Cash Capital, 500,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, \$269,116.02

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$1,015,105.62

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Keeps Blood  
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Puts on Flesh, Makes Blue Look  
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(Good for man and beast)

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Decision will be strictly upon merit.

Any person is eligible to compete who buys a box of the powder, or is the son, daughter or wife of such person. The powder sells for 25 cents a box and during this contest will be sent post paid upon receipt of price.

The name of the winner and the advertisement will appear in the Citizen July 8, 1909.

Any other advertisement we may use later we will pay the writer \$1.00 for.

NOTE—If the powder fails to do the work our advertisement claims for it we will refund the purchase price. No farmer can afford to be without it.

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Harness Dealers,  
RUMFORD, ME

## MASTERPIECE

Five-Year-Old Trotting Stallion  
By May King 2.20

Sire of—DINGEN, 2.061 Dam Claylene: The Dam of Al-clayone, 2.201 Sire of Louise G. 2.081.

Masterpiece is an elegantly proportioned horse; golden chestnut in color, and a perfect disposition. Stands 16 hands high and weighs 1100 pounds. Will be five years old the 30th day of May. Foaled, 1904, and is considered by all horse men one of the handiest stallions living, and one of the finest gaited trotters ever shown on a ring. The May Kings, Dingens and Alcyones have proved to be the greatest families of trotters the world has ever seen, and surely no better bred stallion lives than Masterpiece. This is the first season that he has been permitted to stand for service and this will be welcome news to so many who wished to breed to him last year.

Col. Bingham the noted horseman from Hartford, Conn., after visiting all the prominent stock farms of New England writes: "I have seen just two stallions in New England that I would breed to viz Maine Todd and Masterpiece by May King."



## HEART THRILLING GEMS.

DESTINED TO PROVOKE A SMILE, GOAX A TEAR, CAUSE A TUG AT THE HEARTSTRINGS, CAST A GLEAM OF LIGHT INTO THE DARKEST CORNERS AND BRING A THRILL OF JOY INTO EVERY LIFE WHICH THEY TOUCH.

### TO THE MAN WHO FALLS.

Let others sing to the hero who wins in the countless fray,  
Who, over the crashed and fallen, pours  
With his upward way;  
For him let them weave the laurel, to him be their pean sung,  
When the kindly fates have chosen,  
Who are happy their loved  
Among;

But mine be a different message, some  
Sent to the man who falls;  
To him, o'er the record of failure,  
The tales of pitying speech;  
To whisper: "Be up and doing, for  
Courage at last prevails!"  
I sing—who have sipped with failure,  
—I sing to the man who falls.

I know how the gray cloud darkens,  
And smoothes the soul in gloom;  
I know how the spirit darkens to voices  
Of doubt or of doom;  
I know how the tempest mutters his  
Terrible word, "Despair!"

But the heart has its secret chamber,  
And I know that our God is there.  
Our years are as moments only; our  
Failures are as naught;  
The stone that the builders rejected,  
Precious is the one that life  
Has sought.

Maybe, in the ultimate judgment, the  
Others stand aside,  
And the laurel of great achievement  
Shall be for the man who falls.

We now to the darkness only; but the  
Deeper shall reap in light;  
And the day of life perfect glory shall  
Tell of the deeds of the night.

We gather our gold, and store it, and  
The whisper is heard, "Success!"  
But, tell me, ye cold, white sleepers,  
What were so achievement left?

We struggle for fame, and win it; and,  
For like a fleeting breath,  
It is lost in the realm of silence, where  
Ruler and king lie dead.

Where are the thousands of those,  
The ghosts of a human life's latest  
I sing—for the Father leads him,  
—I sing to the man who falls.

Oh, man, who are labelled "failure,"  
Up rise up again and do  
Remember to the world of action is  
Coming there is room for you.

No failure was ever recorded in the  
Annals of the world;  
The glory is in the doing, and not in  
The thing we do.

The walls that are built by failure  
May laugh to the king of the east;  
The money and wine and splendor, oh  
Child of fate's cruel game!

I sing, that it may show them—  
I sing to the man who falls.  
Alfred J. Wadsworth.

THE LITTLE HOUSE ON THE HILL.  
(By Alice Cary.)

O Memory be sweet to me—  
Take, take of me, as will,  
No time but there was safe and sound,  
Without a taken my heart to wound.

The little house on the hill,  
Take all the best from east to west,  
The flower that grows in the light,  
I want to lay awake at night.

Take all the best from east to west,  
The flower that grows in the light,  
I want to lay awake at night,  
And fast to the whisper will.

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### THE TWO MYSTERIES.

Note—"The Two Mysteries" was  
inspired by an incident which occurred  
at the funeral of a nephew of Walt  
Whitman, as recorded in the following  
item published at the time in the New  
York Tribune:

"In the middle of the room, in its  
white coffin, lay the dead child, the  
nephew of the poet. Near it, in a  
great chair, sat Walt Whitman, sur-  
rounded by little ones, and holding a  
beautiful little girl on his lap. She  
looked wondering at the spectacle of  
death, and then tearfully into the  
old man's face. 'You don't know what  
it is, do you, my dear?' said he, and  
added, 'We don't either.'"

This item was printed as a head-  
note to "The Two Mysteries" when  
it was originally published, and for  
this reason, perhaps, her poem has been  
several times mistakenly ascribed to  
Walt Whitman.

We know not what it is, dear, this  
Sleep so deep and still;  
The folded hands, the awful calm, the  
Cheek so pale and chill;

The lids that will not lift again, though  
We may call and call;  
The strange, white solitude of peace  
That settles over all.

We know not what it means, dear, this  
Drachme heart pain;  
This dread to take our daily way, and  
Walk in it again;

We know not to what other sphere the  
Loved who leave us go,  
Nor why we're left to wonder still,  
Nor why we do not know.

But this we know, our loved and lost,  
If they should come this day—  
Should come and ask us, "What is  
Life?" not one of us could say.

Life is a mystery as deep as ever  
Death can be;  
Yet, oh, how dear it is to us—this life  
We live and see!

Then might they say—those vanished  
ones—our loved and lost—  
"No death is sweet to us, beloved!  
Though we may show you naught."

We may not to the quick reveal the  
Mystery of death—  
To cheer tell us, if you could, the  
Mystery of death.

The child who comes to life comes not  
With knowledge or talent,  
So those who enter death must go—  
Little children wait.

Nothing is known. But I believe that  
God is ever with us,  
And as life is to the living, so death  
Is to the dead.

—Mary Hayes Dodge.

### ROQUETTE CHURCH.

Roquette Church is made in France  
from the oak of a certain forest of  
oak, which are fed on wild thyme,  
and the church has a wild time trying  
to keep from sinking itself to death  
in its infancy. The wild thyme grows  
on the banks of the Lot, Tarn and  
other rivers in the department of  
Aveyron in France, and after it has  
first been harvested and then be-  
cause it generates a lot of the tar-  
dent smells that ever permeated  
down the pike.

Thyme is a kind of an aromatic  
plant with a pungent odor, and after it  
is converted into Roquette cheese is  
the pungent thing known to man.  
After this cheese is made it is put  
in solitary confinement until its wild  
ferociousness is turned into a gentle  
and pleasant one, when it is taken out  
and placed in a pot. Before it is served  
it is characterized or known in the  
house with an ox. It is then brought  
to the table in little square sections  
about the size of a domino. It is served  
at the time of meals together with  
black coffee. It usually has a round  
shape in the shape of a round crater  
that has to be broken with a meat.

Roquette cheese is of a dull white  
color, except in spots where moisture  
has set in. Some claim it is so  
calculated, but this is not true. Even  
the fatness and moisture of the cheese  
is not as much as a Roquette cheese.  
The cheese is a Roquette cheese  
because it is a Roquette cheese.

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### REPUTATION AS AN ASSET.

A good reputation is a man's best  
trademark.

Reputation is not what a man thinks  
of himself, but what others think of  
him.

A man's estimate of himself isn't  
apt to pass current.

Most men would put the value far  
too high.

Some few would put it too low.

Generally the estimate is in inverse  
ratio to the value.

An unprejudiced public may be  
trusted to strike a just level.

When it is announced that a new  
miracle-working device has been in-  
vented the world is skeptical.

If it is stated that Edison is the  
inventor, skepticism is changed to  
faith.

In the reputation of the Wizard of  
Menlo the public puts its trust.

N. P. Willis, who is scarcely remem-  
bered by a succeeding generation, con-  
sidered himself the greatest American  
poet.

—That was Willis' estimate.

Dryden, Longfellow and Holmes set  
themselves upon no pedestal, but their  
reputations were and are secure.

They rest upon the estimate of the  
public.

We can build, but we cannot dictate  
a reputation.

### POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A miserly father maketh an extrava-  
gant son.

Blessed are they who expect little,  
for they usually get it.

A man seldom gets very angry when  
he has only himself to blame.

It is sometimes better to try and  
fail than never to have tried at all.

Ever notice how things that are  
none of your business will interest  
you?

Any man may acquire a will of his  
own by hiring a lawyer to write it for  
him.

When a widow tells a man he is  
"different," that's his cue to sit up  
and take notice.

Unless you have a reputation as a  
fighter you can't afford to pose as a  
peace-maker.

It's awfully hard for a man to look  
and when his wife is making prepara-  
tions to spend a month in the country.

Do your work a little better than  
the other fellow and some morning  
you'll wake up and find yourself his  
boss.

Just about the time a man succeeds  
in accumulating all the money he  
wants, the alarm clock gets busy and  
wakes him up.—Chicago Daily News.

### CIRCLES.

Politicians are seldom what they  
seem.

The too tender heart is the world's  
big cushion.

A friend in need is a friend—we  
usually shun.

What is success? Only failure with  
a fresh coat of paint.

An American is never so energetic  
as when he tries to be idle.

Tell the world you are tired of life  
and the world is tired of you.

What you call temper in your wife  
you call temperament in yourself.

A man is never so utterly unoriginal  
as when he is inventing or praying.

I put a beggar on horseback—and  
he'll ride to the first place where he  
can sell the horse.

It isn't the critic who takes the  
worst view of everything. There is  
the amateur photographer.

### GRIM PHILOSOPHY.

A good shape is simply a matter of  
terms.

A bird to the hand is only half as  
good as one in the platter.

The best thing to know how to do  
is to do it, knowing how not to do it.

Love of arms could not alone better  
with less system and more gunpoint.

The best way for increasing growth  
is plenty of hard work.

The cracked back cobbler certainly  
believes in taking the thing that is  
nearest his hand.

When a man asserts that luck was  
against him—well, let him have that  
assertion.

The world would struggle along with  
out goodness, but it would be in a bad  
way without mercy.

## WIT AND WISDOM.

### A CARD.

This is to certify that all druggists  
are authorized to refund your money  
if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure  
your cough or cold. It stops the cough,  
heals the lungs and prevents pneumonia  
and consumption. Contains no opiates.  
The genuine is in a yellow package.

### The Search.

I thought that Happiness was having  
money.

And like the busy bee that gathers  
honey

I worked and toiled and got a goodly  
store.

Now Happiness, I find, is having—  
Moral

REV. I. W. WILLIAMSON'S LETTER

Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington,  
W. Va., writes: "This is to certify that  
I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for  
nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble  
and am free to say that it will do all  
that you claim for it." Foley's Kidney  
Remedy has restored health and  
strength to thousands of weak, run  
down people. Contains no harmful  
drugs and is pleasant to take. W. E.  
Bozerman, Bethel, Chas. E. Fernald,  
Rumford Falls.

Kind-Hearted Bridget.

Cooking-school girl—Bridget, what  
did you do with that cake I baked  
yesterday? Mr. Finckelstein is here and  
I want to give him some.

Bridget—Well, mum, I'll get it for  
ye if ye say so, but sure it isn't me  
wad be discouragin' a nice young man  
like that.—New York Weekly.

It Reached the Spot.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large  
general store at Omaha, O., and is pre-  
sident of the Adams County Telephone  
Co., as well as of the Home Telephone  
Co., of Pike County, O., says of Dr.  
King's New Discovery: "It saved my  
life once. At least I think it did. It  
seemed to reach the spot—the very  
seat of my cough—when everything  
else failed." Dr. King's New Dis-  
covery not only reaches the cough spot,  
it heals the sore spots and the weak  
spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold  
under guarantee by W. E. Bozerman,  
Bethel; Chas. E. Fernald, Rumford;  
Nathan Reynolds, Canton; J. P. John-  
ston & Co., Dixfield; H. J. Reynolds,  
Hidleville. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bot-  
tle free.

Test.

"See that fellow across the street?  
I think he's a boy I used to go to col-  
lege with. I wonder if he'd remember  
me?"

"Ask him to lend you some money."

"Oh, he'd hardly do that."

"No—and that would prove that he  
remembered you."—Cleveland Leader.

Hemorrhages, hemorrhoids and other  
throat troubles are quickly cured by  
Foley's Honey and Tar as it soothes  
and treats the inflamed throat and bron-  
chial tubes and the most obstinate  
cough disappears. Insist upon having  
the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar.  
W. E. Bozerman, Bethel; Chas. E. Fer-  
nald, Rumford Falls.

That's Different.

"I saw a man light his cigar with a  
ten-dollar bill today," said the fat  
man.

"Ornamental! How extravagant!" ex-  
claimed the doctor.

"Oh, I think not. It was one of  
your bills, doctor!"—Yenkers States-  
man.

The World's Best Climate

is not entirely free from disease, on the  
high elevations fever prevails, while  
on the lower levels malaria is encoun-  
tered to a greater or less extent, ac-  
cording to altitude. To overcome this  
climate's afflictions, malaria, jaundice,  
biliousness, fever and ague,  
and general debility, the most effective  
remedy is Electric Bitters, the great  
alterative and blood purifier; the an-  
tidote for every form of bodily weakness,  
nervousness and insomnia. Sold under  
guarantee by W. E. Bozerman, Bethel;  
Chas. E. Fernald, Rumford; Nathan  
Reynolds, Canton; J. P. Johnston &  
Co., Dixfield; H. J. Reynolds, Hidleville.  
Price 50c.

Taking no Liberties with History.

"I think, I remember," said the young  
professor's wife, as she leaned fondly  
over the cradle of their first born,  
"we'll have to name him after you."

"Yes," responded the young profes-  
sor, "about 200 years after me. His  
name my dear, will be Helen."—Chic-  
ago Tribune.

A Californian's Luck.

"The boldest day of my life was  
when I bought a box of Buckle's Ar-  
mor Salve," writes Charles F. Buckle,  
of Tracy, California. "Two days later  
I was one of an army of men at tick-  
ing piles, which had trampled me for  
years and that yielded to no other  
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I am now located in the shop formerly owned  
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stock of Doors, Sashes Etc. that were in Mr. White's  
stock. These goods will be sold at very low prices.

Remember this is now the place to get  
RUBBEROID ROOFING.

the best on the market.

V. A. Linnell, Rumford Falls.

The Silent Man.

He was reserved extreme each day.  
His words were few, although ex-  
act.

He didn't have a lot to say,  
But then he recognized that fact.

—Washington Star.

A Good's Reader.

"Why have you looked your finger-  
point at Mr. MacIntyre, the poet?"

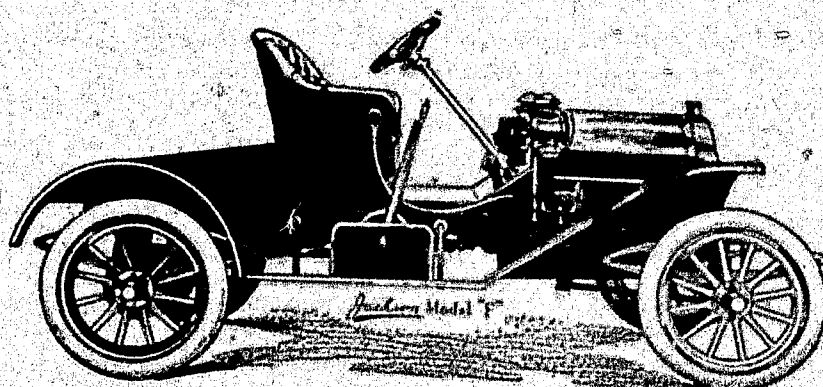
—Chicago Herald.

WEST SU  
Frank Haver  
School has begun  
Edna J. Haver is a  
teacher.  
Gertie M. Haver has



**Ran 31 1-2 Miles on 1 Gallon of Gasoline**

# "No Sand Too Deep"



**"No Hill  
Too Steep."**

**By an Inexperienced Owner Requiring No Repairs or New Parts.**

On being overhauled at the end of the season it was pronounced in better running condition than when new.

**-\$850.**

## Rumford, Maine.

Mixture of Various Sorts That Makes  
a Rich Pastry.

Required: One pound of syrup; two teaspoonsful of cinnamon; two teaspoonsful of grated nutmeg, finely chopped rind of tangerine orange, juice and rind of one lemon, one ounce of butter, flour, baking powder. First mix the syrup, spices, rind of lemon and lemon juice. Let this mixture stand for 24 hours, then set the basin over a fire and add the melted butter, water, and stir in containing boiling water. Then add some good flour and mix with it a teaspoonful of baking powder, a little salt, and stir sufficiently into the syrup to make a dough. When thoroughly mixed, turn onto a well floured board and roll out thin. Cut off pieces two inches long and about three-quarters of an inch broad. Tie in a knot. Bake on a greased sheet in a hot oven, being careful that the cakes do not touch. When done turn onto a sheet of white paper and dust with powdered sugar. The cakes improve by keeping, but should be stored in a tin.

## The Home.

A perforated plepan placed over the  
cassette can be used to keep a dish  
of food warm.

A great many blemishes on wall paper  
may be removed with a rubber on  
a lead pencil.

Dried lemon peel sprinkled over  
coals will destroy any disagreeable  
odor about the house.

Combs soon warp and break if washed  
with water. A good stiff nailbrush  
cleans them well.

Potato water is excellent for cleaning  
and stains from nearly any kind  
of cloth or garment.

The oven door should be shut as  
early as possible. Much of the heavy  
smoke and bread is the result of its be-  
ing langed in closing.

An India-rubber hot-water bottle is  
easily cleaned. Wash it well with luke-  
warm water and soap, rubbing on the  
nap with a piece of flannel.

When ironing a starched garment,  
and a part of it becomes dry, do not  
sponge with water, but with a cloth  
wet with a little cold starch. This will  
keep all parts of the garment of  
equal stiffness.

**Hamburg Steak.**  
Put through the meat chopper a pound of beef from the round or shoulder and half of suet as large as an egg, an onion larger than an egg. Mix with one-half teaspoonful of sage, a tablespoon of thyme, make into one fat cake, chop a slice of bacon, and press the pieces into the meat. Cover all with flour, salt and pepper to taste. Fry carefully in a cup of rice, and pour it into a quart of furiously boiling water. When tender put it where steam will evaporate, leaving it to cook the meat in plenty of dripping in a hot pan with a cover; make gravy; pile the rice in a platter with meat in the center; garnish with slices of parsley; pour the gravy over rice and serve hot.

**Baked Halibut.**  
Two pounds halibut, two cups to-  
matoes, one cup water, one sliced  
onion, three cloves, one-half table-  
spoon sugar, three tablespoons butter,  
one tablespoon flour, three-quarters  
teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon  
pepper. Cook 20 minutes tomatoes,  
pepper, onion, cloves and sugar. Melt  
butter, add flour and stir into hot mix-  
ture. Add salt and pepper, cook ten  
minutes. Add sliced halibut, onion  
slices and strain. Clean fish, put  
in baking pan, pour around half the  
sauce and bake 35 minutes, basting  
with remaining sauce. Remove to  
platter, pour the remaining sauce  
and garnish with parsley.

Old Gent—How old are you, boy?

Boy—Aw! Ma says I'm too old to eat the things I like, and I'm too old to cry when I don't get 'em.

**The Distinction.**  
 Students have "Honor roll" and  
 "Merit roll" that change in June.  
 Merit roll is based on  
 the number of students who  
 have been in the honor roll  
 for the past year. Merit roll  
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## NATURE'S WARNING. CANTON HAPPENINGS.

**Maine People Must Recognize As Observed and Told by the  
and Heed It. Citizen Reporter.**

Kidney ills come quietly—mysteriously,  
But nature always warns you,  
Notice the kidney secretions,  
See if the color is unhealthy—  
If there are settlings and sediment,  
Passages frequent, scanty, painful.  
It's time then to use Doan's Kidney  
Pills.

To ward off Bright's disease or diabetes.

Doan's have done great work.

Mrs. Nellie A. Foster, living at 10 Water St., Hamford Falls, Me., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney pills and can recommend them as the best of all kidney remedies. I suffered a great deal from pains in my back and after a hard day's work, my back would be so stiff and lame that I could hardly rise from a chair, after sitting for some time. I also had dull headaches and the kidneys were sluggish. I was at length advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and obtained them. In a short time I felt a great deal better, continued and improved in every way."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## GETTING OTHER PEOPLE RIGHT

**Pitfall Into Which the Well-Meaning  
Sometimes Fall.**

Occasionally you may set a person right, but be sure you know the person, and don't get a reputation for setting a lot of things right. People like to be right, but not get right, but not set right, at least not in a slow indirect way. Of course we are concerned here with politics and society. You are expected to set people right in politics, business and other impolite circles, and not hard. The way some contragovernment set their employees who dig sewers for them is, to say the least, impolite, and the complaints passed and answered between the rulers and the housed representatives are far from pretty, but in these spheres it is considered necessary to set folks right. Not so in the armed strain of polite society. Here contragovernment must be an international fact if it will not hit for several days, and then feel like a cotton ball. Never any means correct a pronunciation, for you will likely never make

less intimate than a Chinese character may be depicted. Nobody answered at that. We once knew a good minister, who had a son-in-law, where the people were very well educated, though they did always express themselves in sentences strictly grammatical and literary. The pastor was a stickler for a language, and had a way of setting everybody right while in conversation. As his people thought he ought to be right in other lines, exactly his star among them was brief.

Sherman Dillon is at work for J. W. Bicknell in his grain store.  
A. A. Olmce was at Lewiston, Wednesday.  
Representative John P. Swasey has returned to his duties at Washington, D. C.  
Miss Lillie Rowe returned from the C. M. O. hospital, last Thursday.  
Fred Warren has been visiting in Lewiston, Winthrop and Augusta.  
G. L. Wadlin was in Lewiston last week.

Ralph Gilbert of Middleville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilbert, and family, Thursday.  
C. E. Richardson was at Buckfield, Wednesday.  
John A. Hodge Relief Corps held a public supper this week for the purpose of raising funds for decoration of a Memorial day.  
The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Newman of Auburn, who has been very ill of tonsillitis and abscesses at the throat, is convalescing.  
Glyde Bicknell has gone to Portland, where he is engaged for the summer as chauffeur for Mr. Baxter of that place.  
Allen Tyler entertained a class of Alden High school scholars at his new home Sunday evening.

Nathaniel Thomas attended the funeral of his nephew, Leroy L. Thomas, Auburn, Wednesday. Mr. Thomas is the son of Cornelius and Mattie L. Thomas, former residents of Hartford. His death occurred Sunday, April 23th, and he was 31 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mahoney of Livermore Falls visited her father, Wm. Mahoney and family, Sunday.

Miss Abigail Dodge is visiting relatives in Rockland, Mass.

Her Eliza sisters of Livermore Falls are doing military at the pattern in the Revere House on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

The remains of Mrs. Ellen Barrows, widow of the late Titus Barrows, were brought from Boston to Canton Thursday and buried in the cemetery at North Hartford.

Oliver Nielsen of West Paris is visiting in town.

John Berry of Hartford, is at work on Mrs. J. B. Hull.

Mr. O. W. Moore passed away at 12 o'clock Tuesday morning after a long illness of pneumonia.

any weak and nervous women have  
restored to health by Foley's  
Kidney Remedy as it stimulates the  
system so they will eliminate the  
poison matter from the blood. Impure  
blood depresses the nerves, causing nervous  
debility and other ailments. Can-  
soria today and you will soon be well  
able to take W. H. Hooserman,  
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**NORTH BUCKFIELD.**

Harry Record and mother have moved to Hebron where they have hired a place. Their many friends are sorry to have them go.

Grover Keene has gone to Massachussetts to work.

Brothers' Day was held at Mountain Grove, May 1. Good music was furnished by the orchestra and a mock trial was given.

Gertrude Warren will soon go to Canton to work for Will Diabee. Walter Rowe and Mr. Bryant of Oxford, visited at D. Jack's recently. April 23, to the wife of M. A. Stewart a daughter, Josephine Hazilla. Frank Hyer has agreed to work this

School commenced Monday with ten pupils. Nan Withington of Buckfield teaches.

**WEST SUMNER**

Frank Howe from Massachusetts  
 visited at Wiram Howe's a few days.  
 School has begun with Mr. A. E.  
 Selmes as teacher, from Hartford.  
 Eddie J. Mosher is working at Ernest

Dollie M. Hixid has begun her school  
 in the Pleasant Pond district.  
 There were a few who attended the  
 Quakerade at North Buckfield, Thurs-  
 day evening from this place.

Warren Lathrop is painting his

O. H. Harrows is putting new windows into his house.  
Lattie Ford, who has been quite sick the summer, is better now.

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for the 1960-61 season. Send for  
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10-10-1964



